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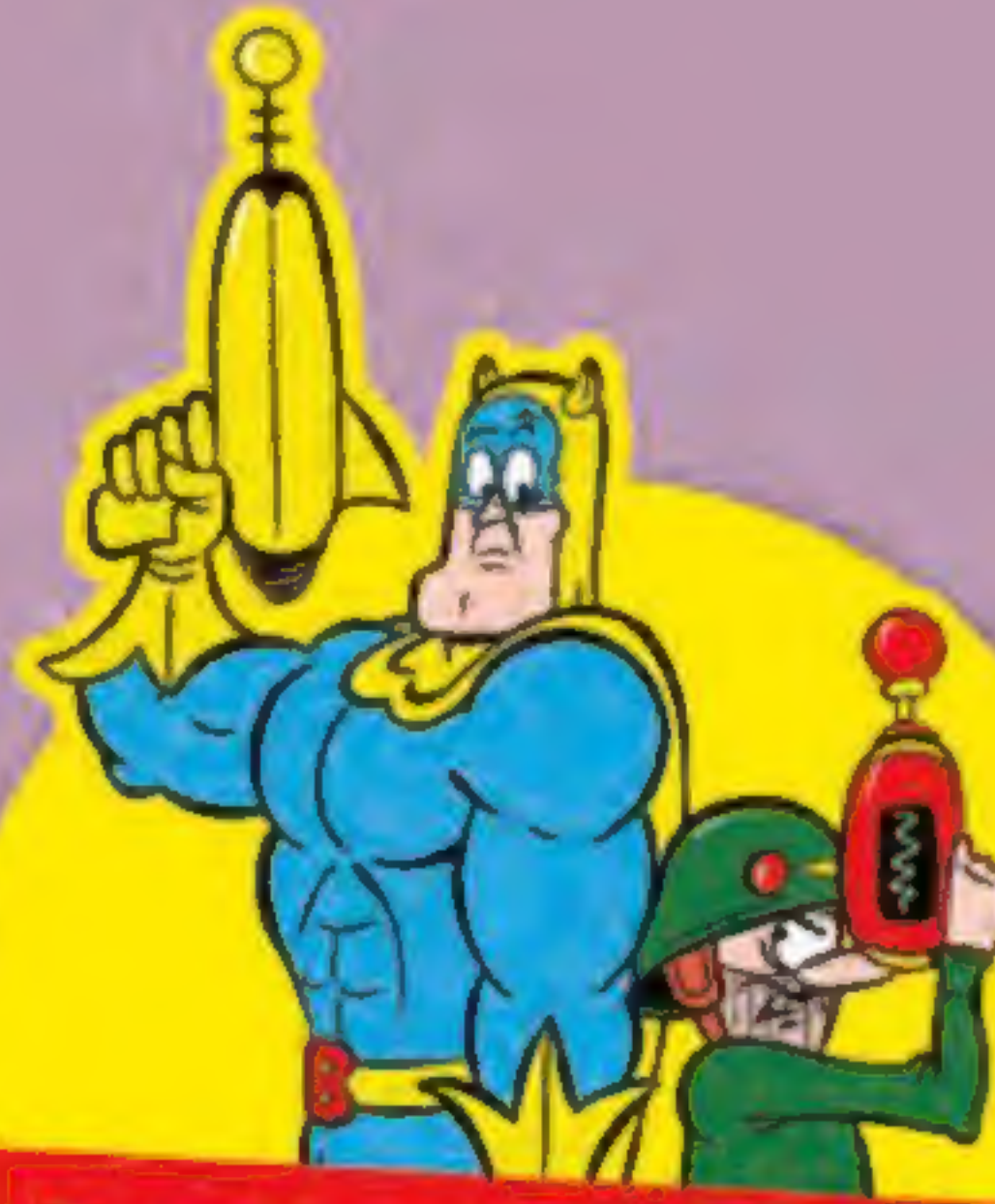


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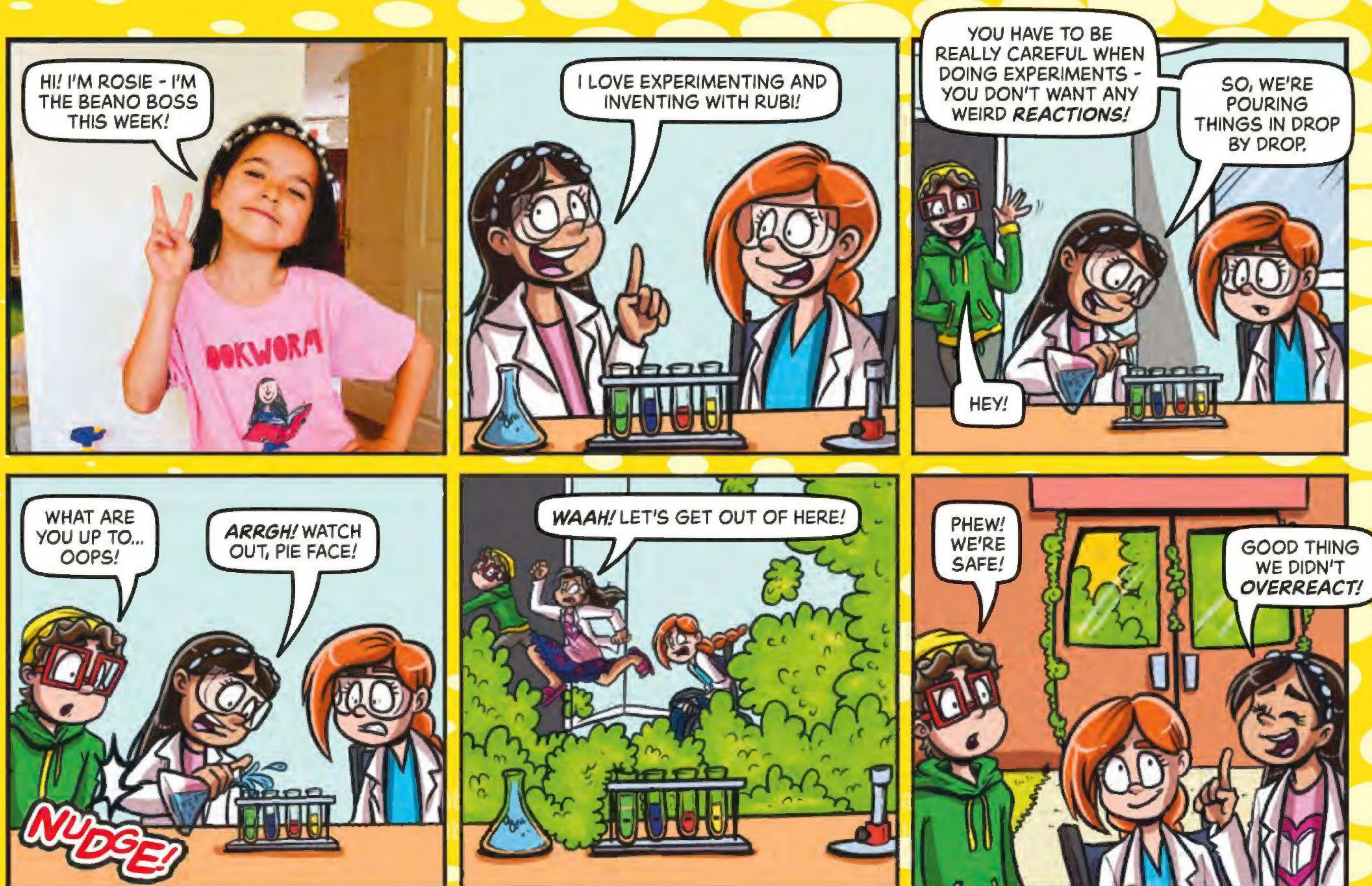
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ROSIE FROM BRENTFORD IS THE BEANO BOSS!

WORDS: Grace Balfour-Harle ART: Emily McGorman-Bruce



WANT TO BE

THE BEANO BOSS?

Next week,
it could be you!

ALL YOU NEED TO DO IS
ANSWER THIS QUESTION!

Which new TV show
is Roger desperate
to watch?

The answer is somewhere in this comic!



- PICK THE BEST JOKE
- TEST OUT THE PRANK
- AWARD SOMEONE THE GOLDEN SPLAT
- READ THE COMIC STRIPS FIRST
- AND LOADS MORE!



Email your answer to:

boss@beano.com

Make sure
you tell us:

1 The answer to
the question!

2 Your all-time
favourite joke!

3 Your name, date of birth, your parent or
guardian's name, phone number and email!

Don't
forget to
include
a photo
too!

For blam-tastic quizzes, comics and puzzles, go to beano.com/beanotown

The funniest entry will be chosen by the Beano editor. Please see page 35 for important details. Did you know, your feet produce a pint of sweat every day?! No wonder they're so stinky!

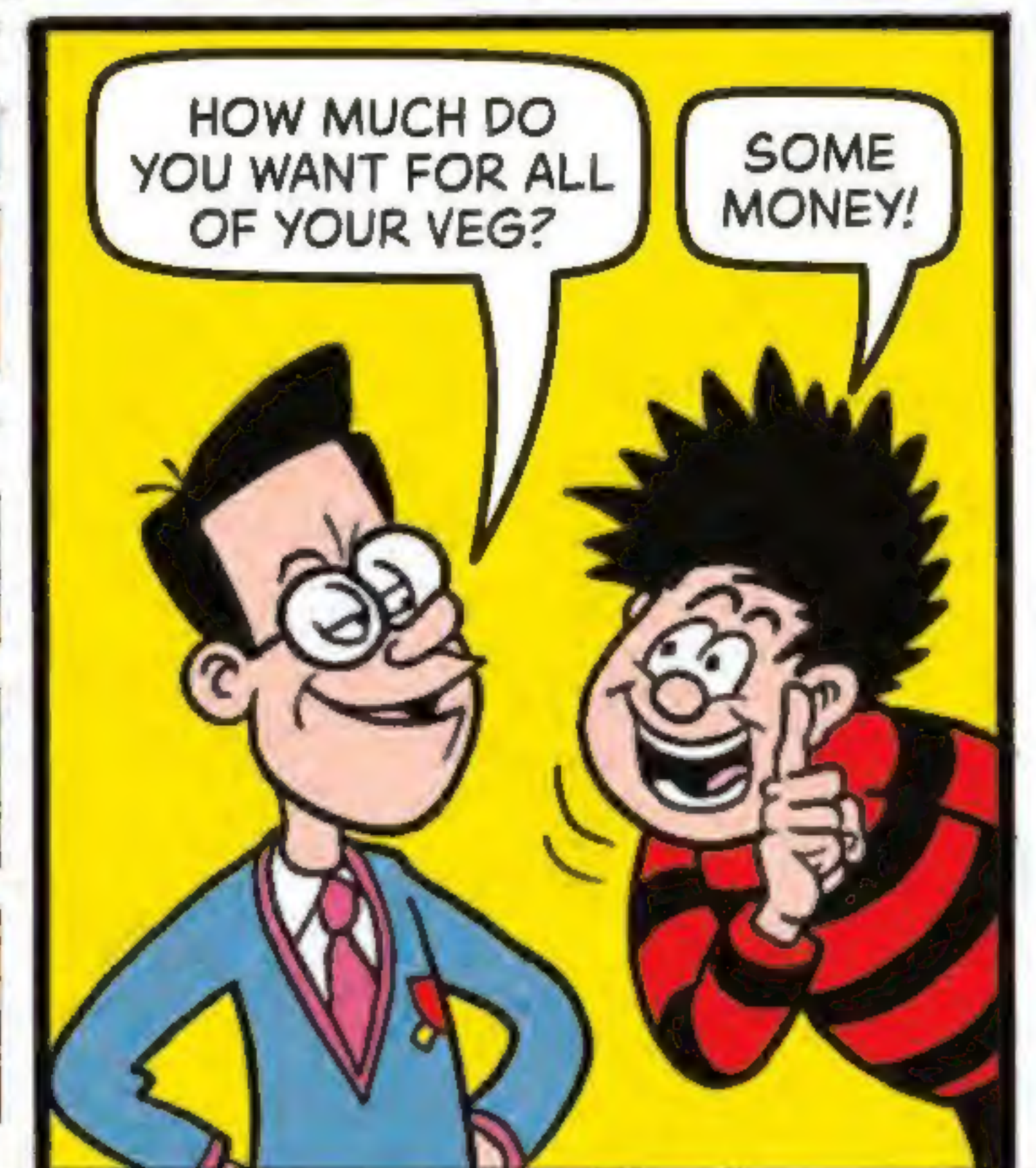
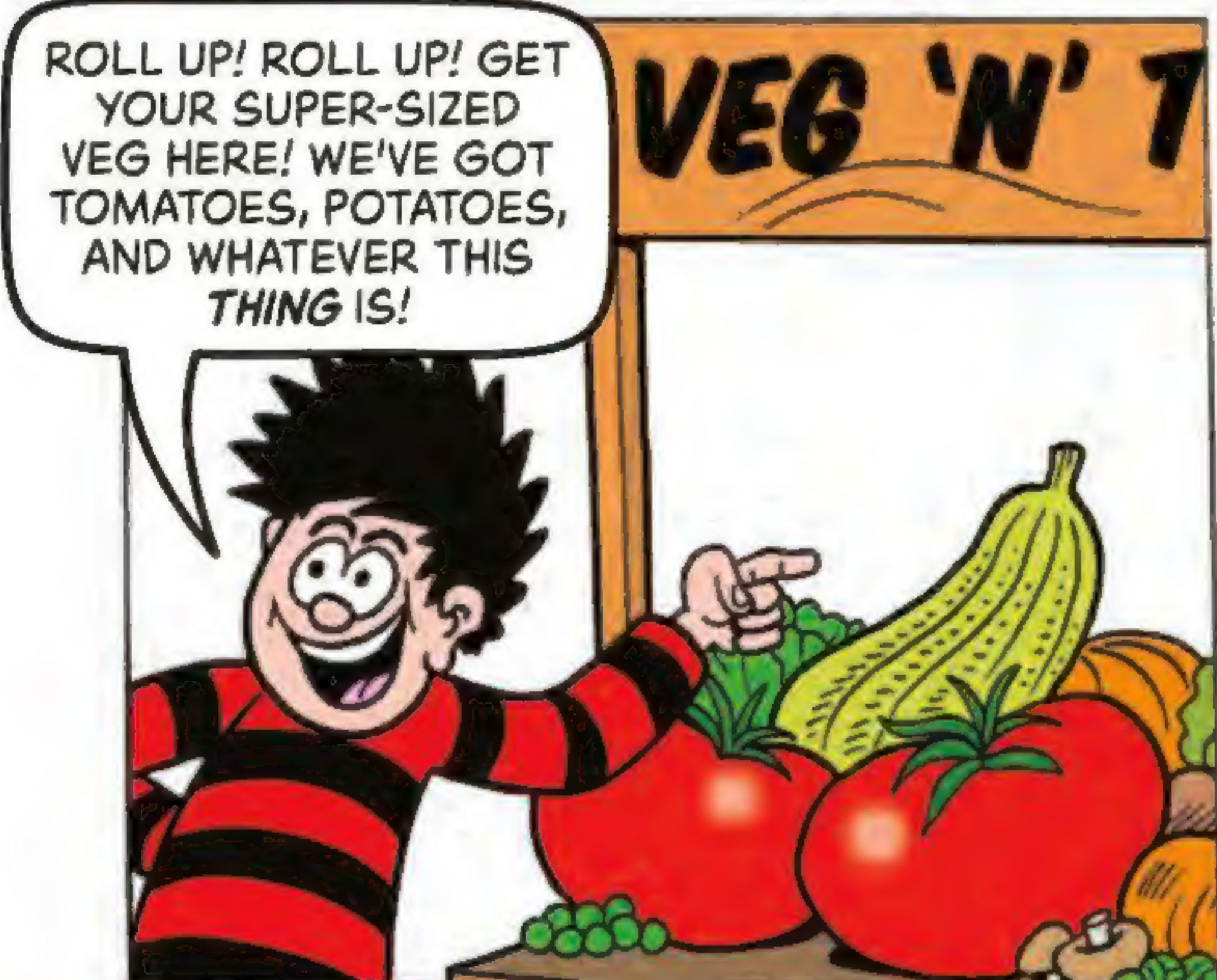
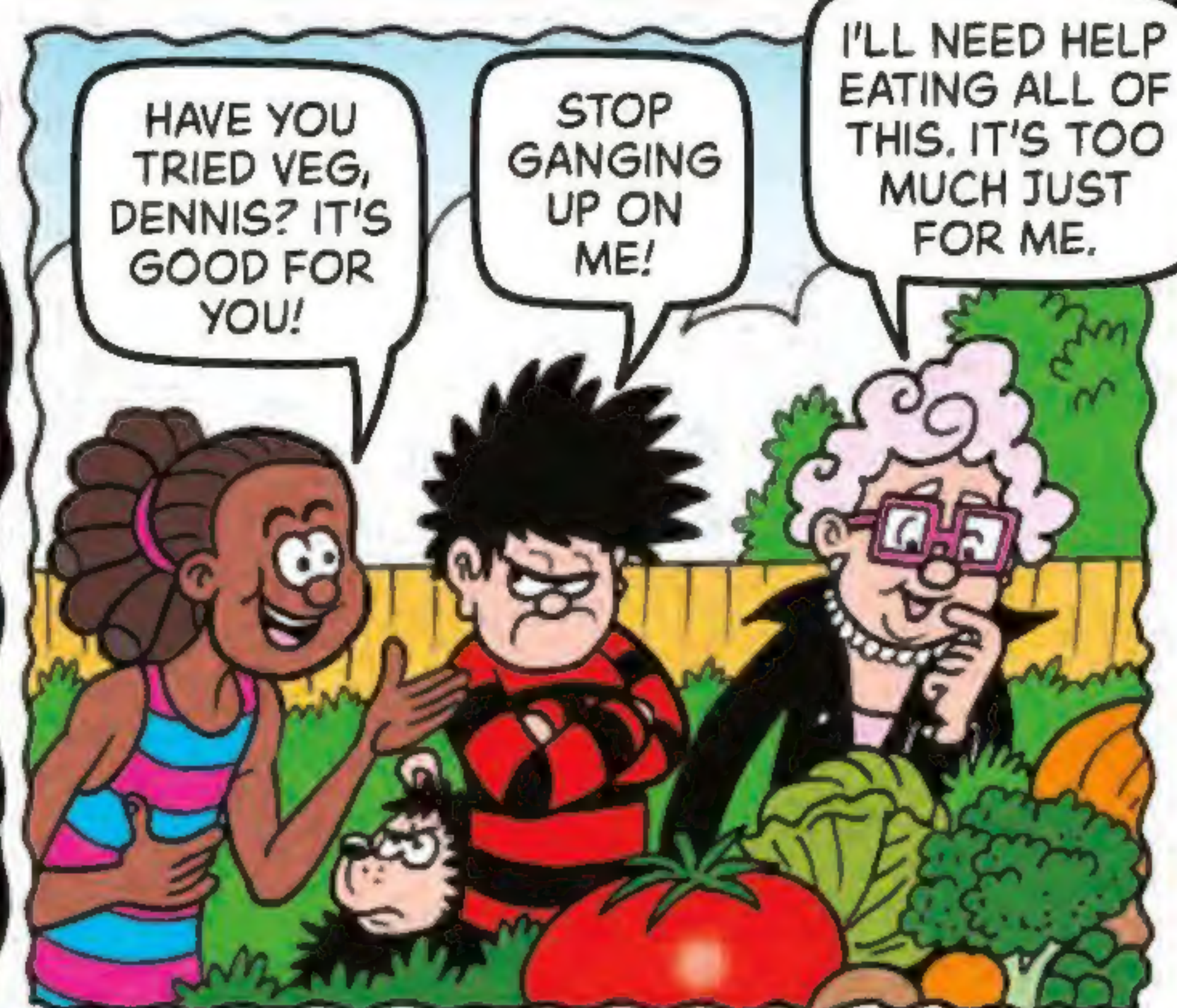
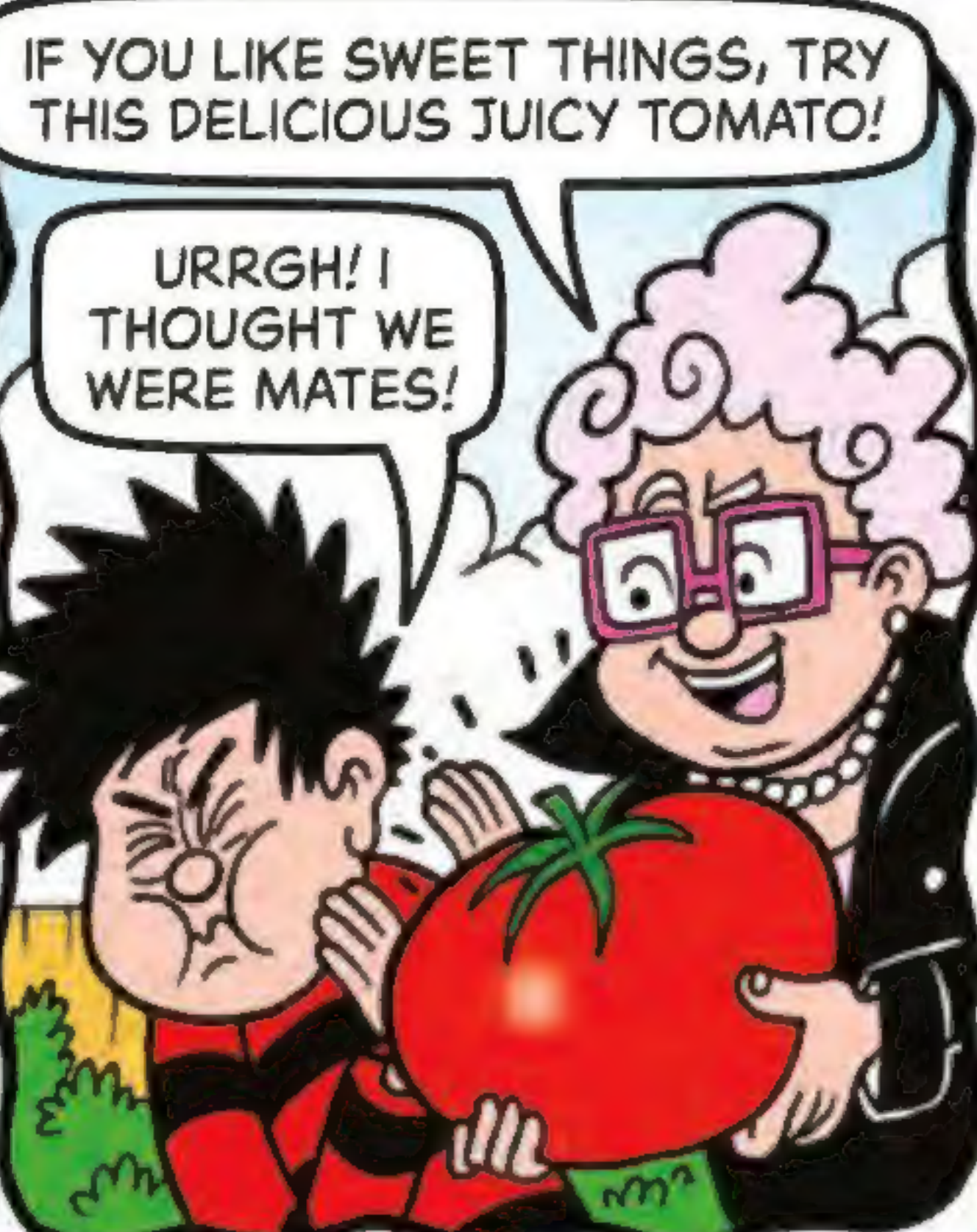
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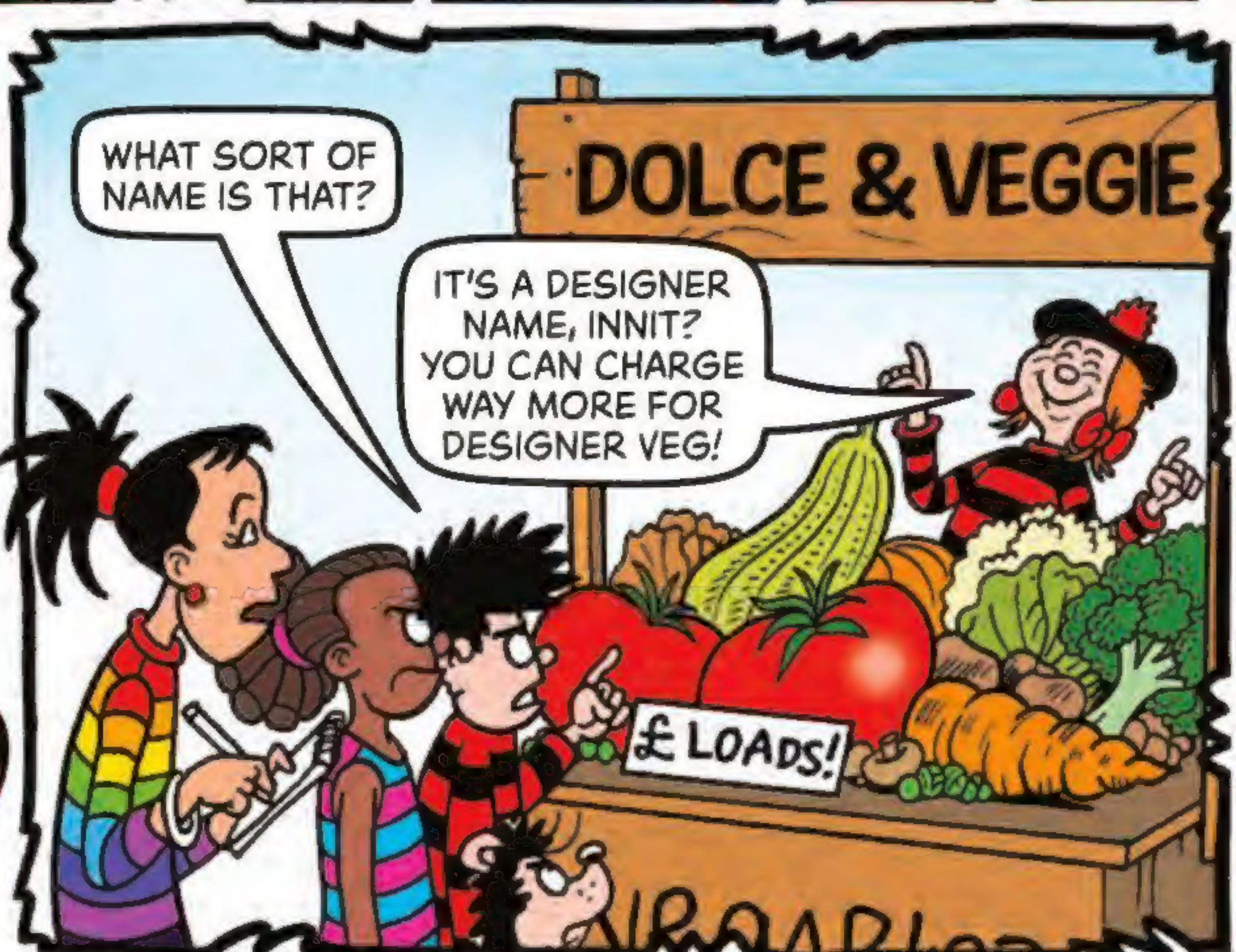
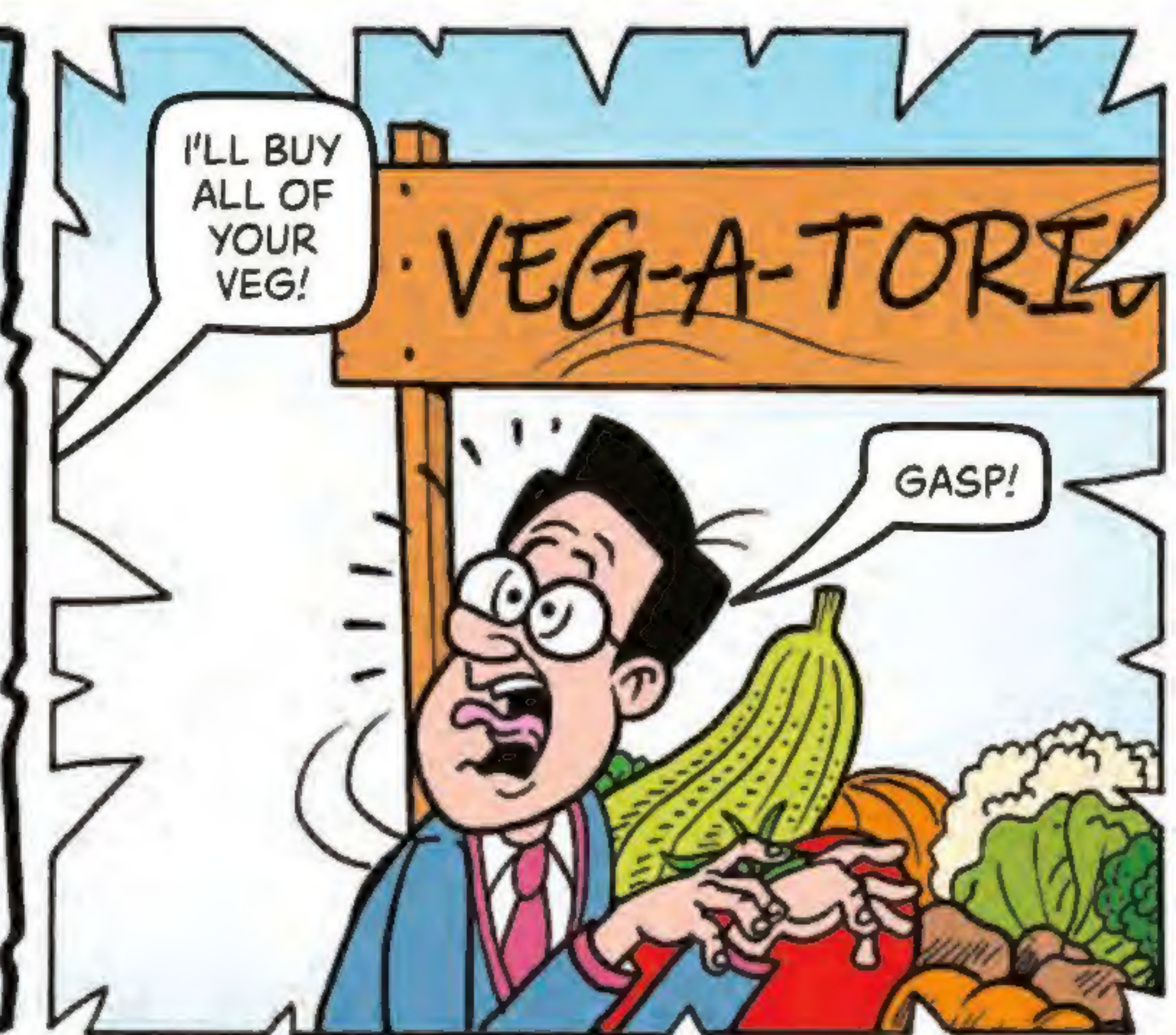
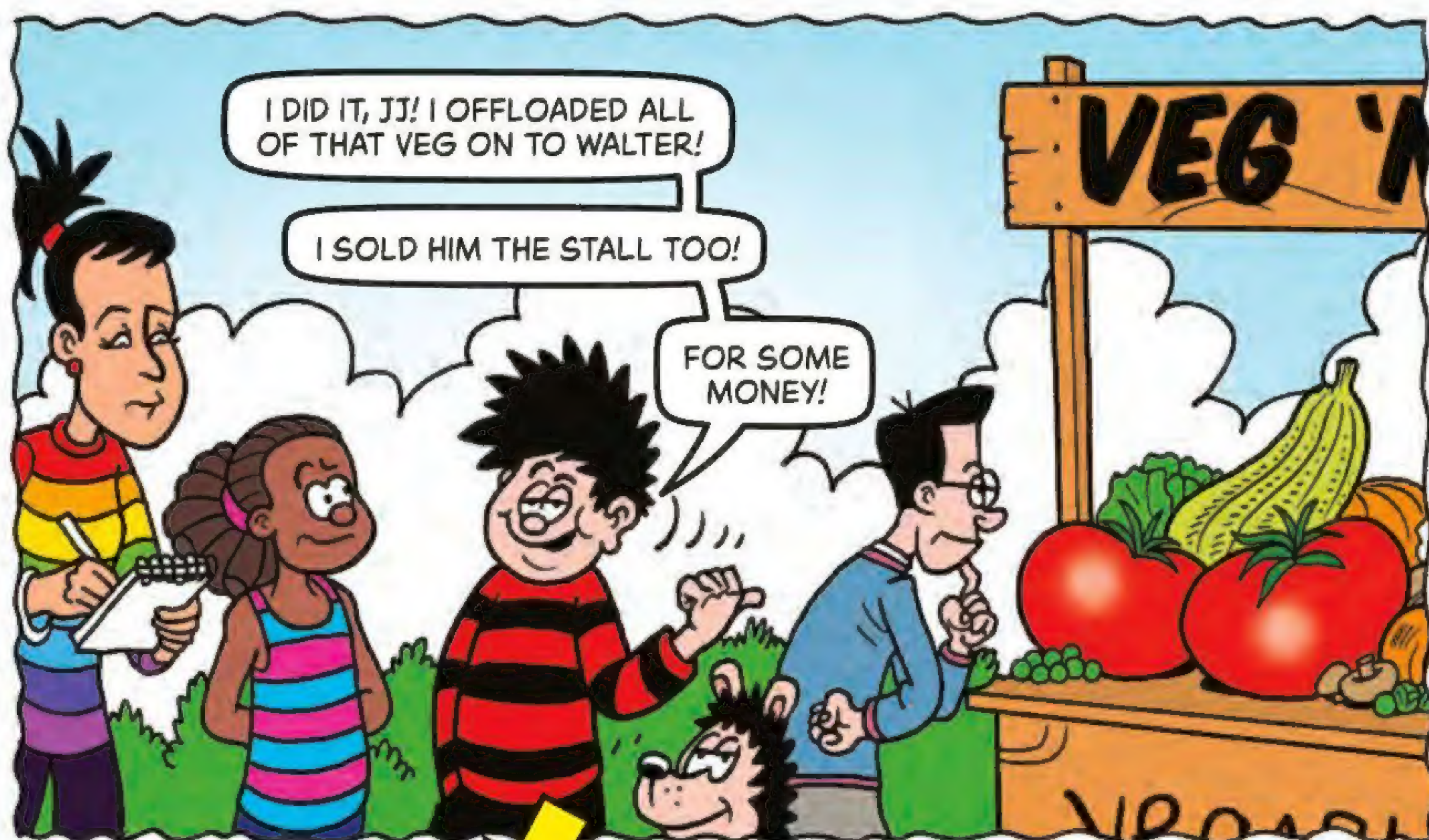
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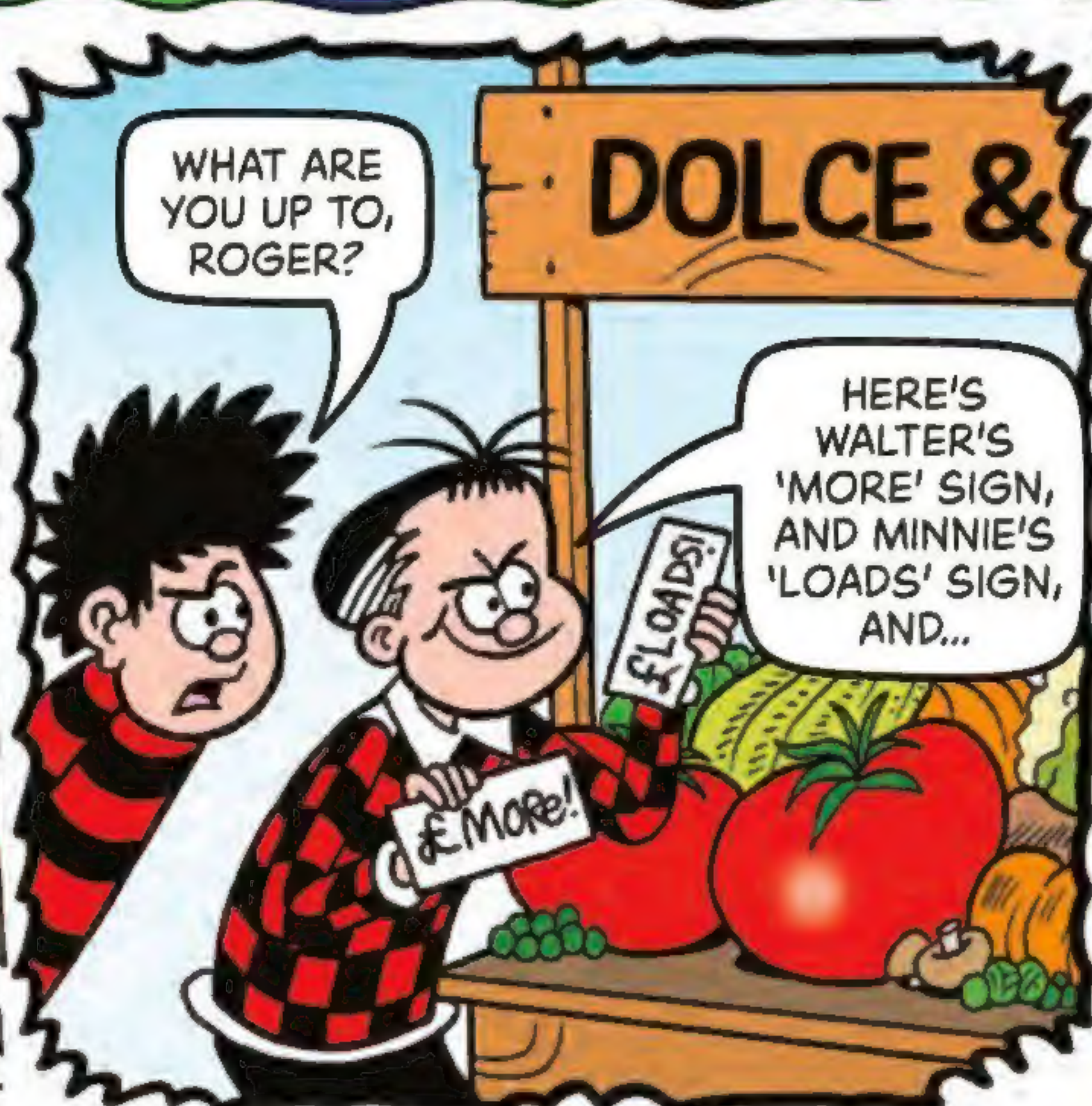
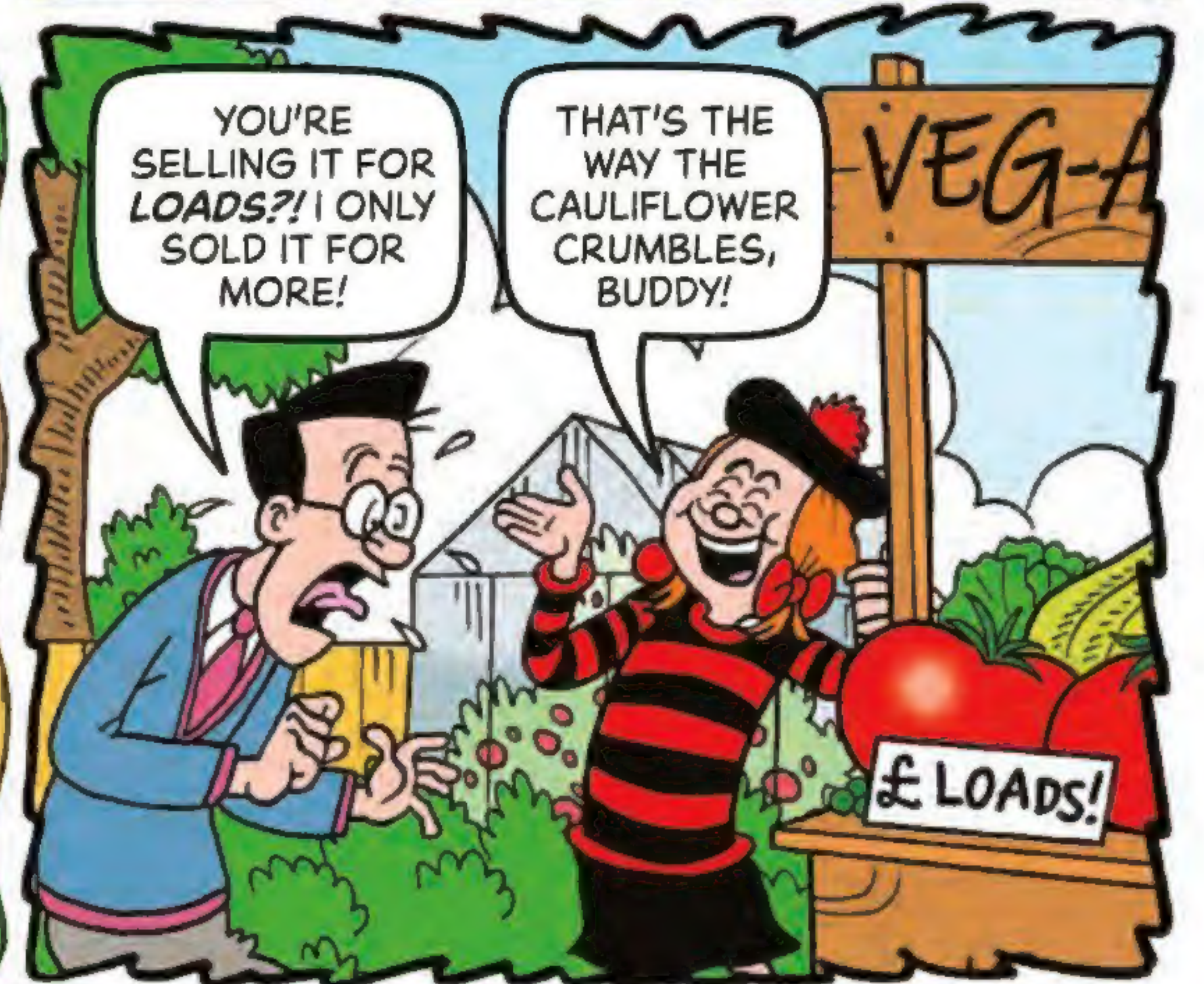
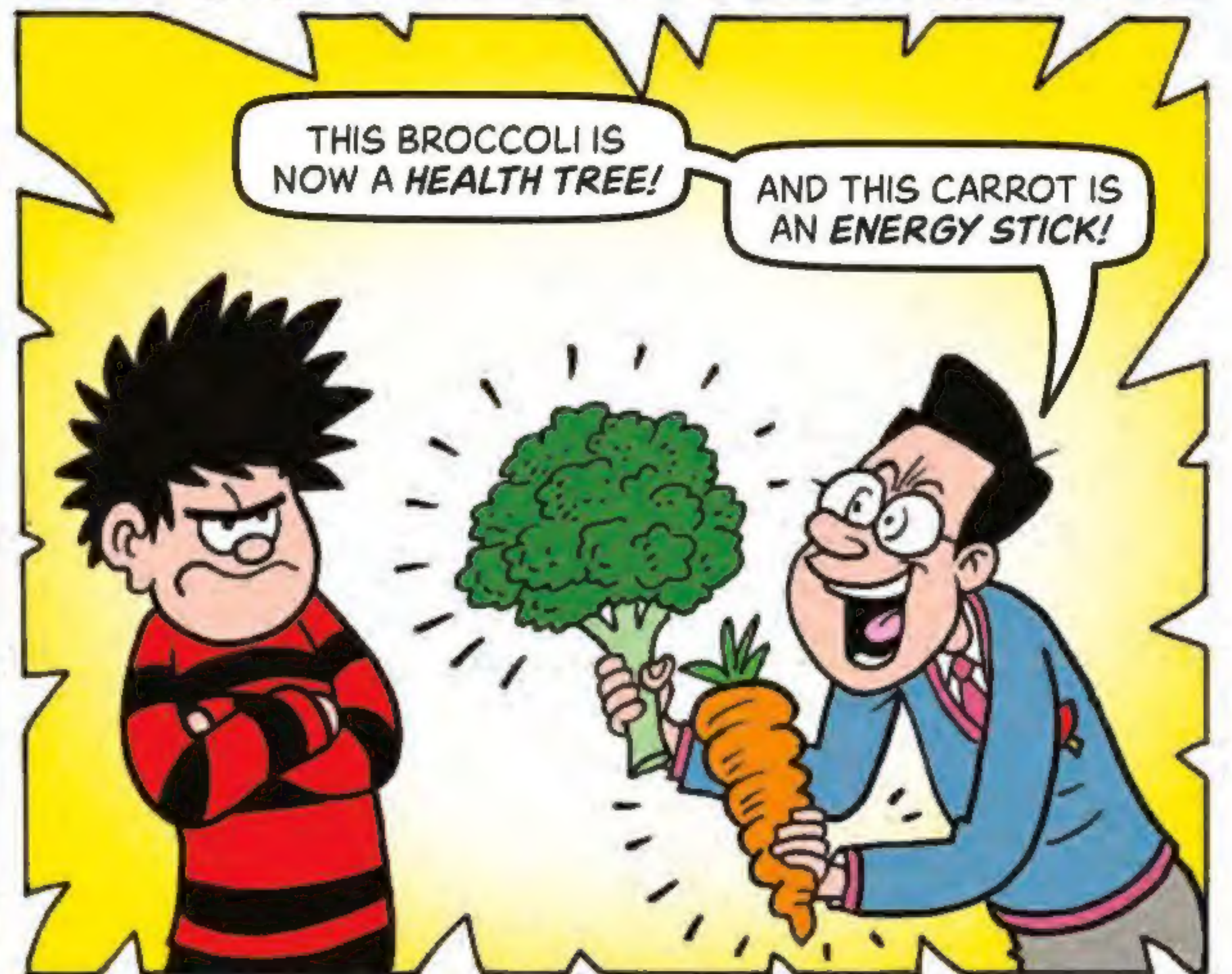
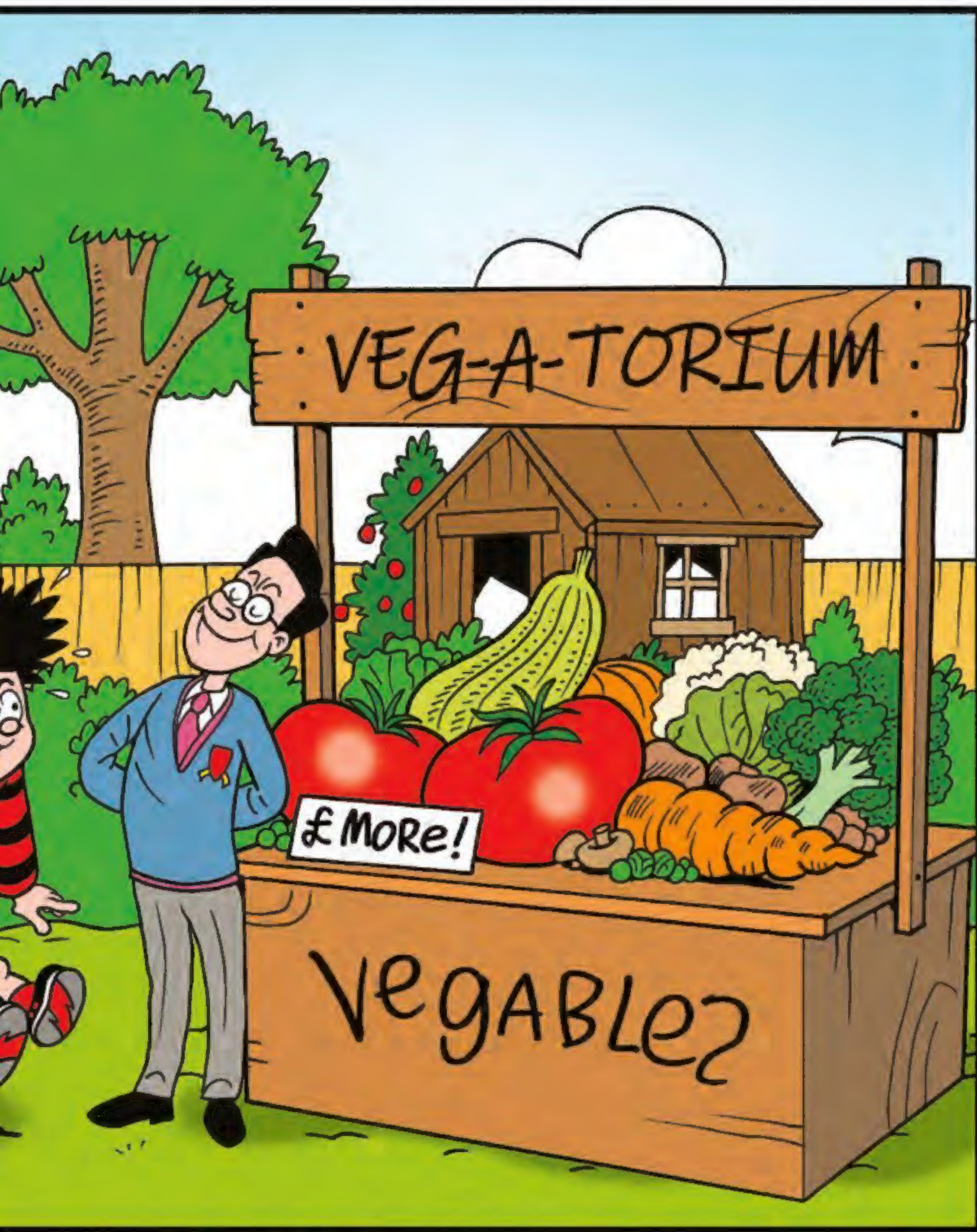
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AT GRAN'S ALLOTMENT...





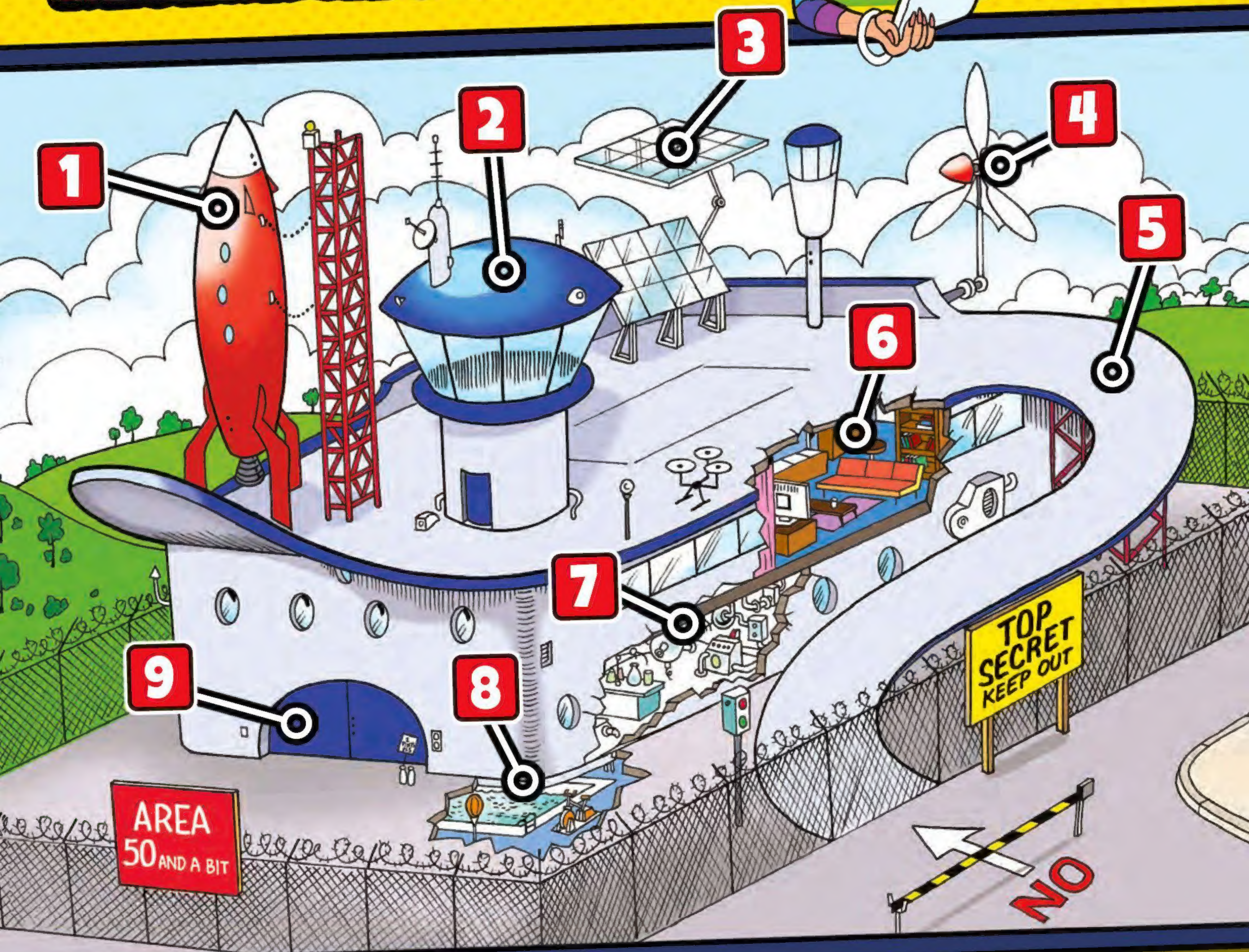


VISIT BEANOTOWN'S TOP SECRET RESEARCH STATION!



RUBI AND PROFESSOR VON SCREWTOP LIVE AT BEANOTOWN'S TOP SECRET RESEARCH STATION. IT ISN'T A VERY SECRET STATION BECAUSE EVERYONE KNOWS ABOUT IT, BUT THE PROF THINKS IT SOUNDS COOL!

HERE ARE THE MOST INTERESTING PARTS AND REMEMBER - IT'S A SECRET! SSH!



1

Beanotown Ultimate Mars Projectile (codename B.U.M.P.) - the Professor wants to be the first human being on Mars, so he's built a rocket that can fly there. He hasn't worked out how to land yet...

2

Control Tower - where the Prof controls his drones from, and tries to communicate with any aliens who might be out there in space. Because of all the glass, it's also a great place for him to grow tomatoes.

3

Solar Power Unit - the research station is powered completely by renewable energy. Rubi is very proud of this!

4

Wind Turbine - this advanced technology can harness the power of the weather, but also the power of beans!

5

Access Ramp - excellent in winter when it's covered in snow!

6

Living Quarters - this is where Rubi and the Prof live, so it has to be comfy. Oh, and the Wi-Fi is spectacularly fast!

7

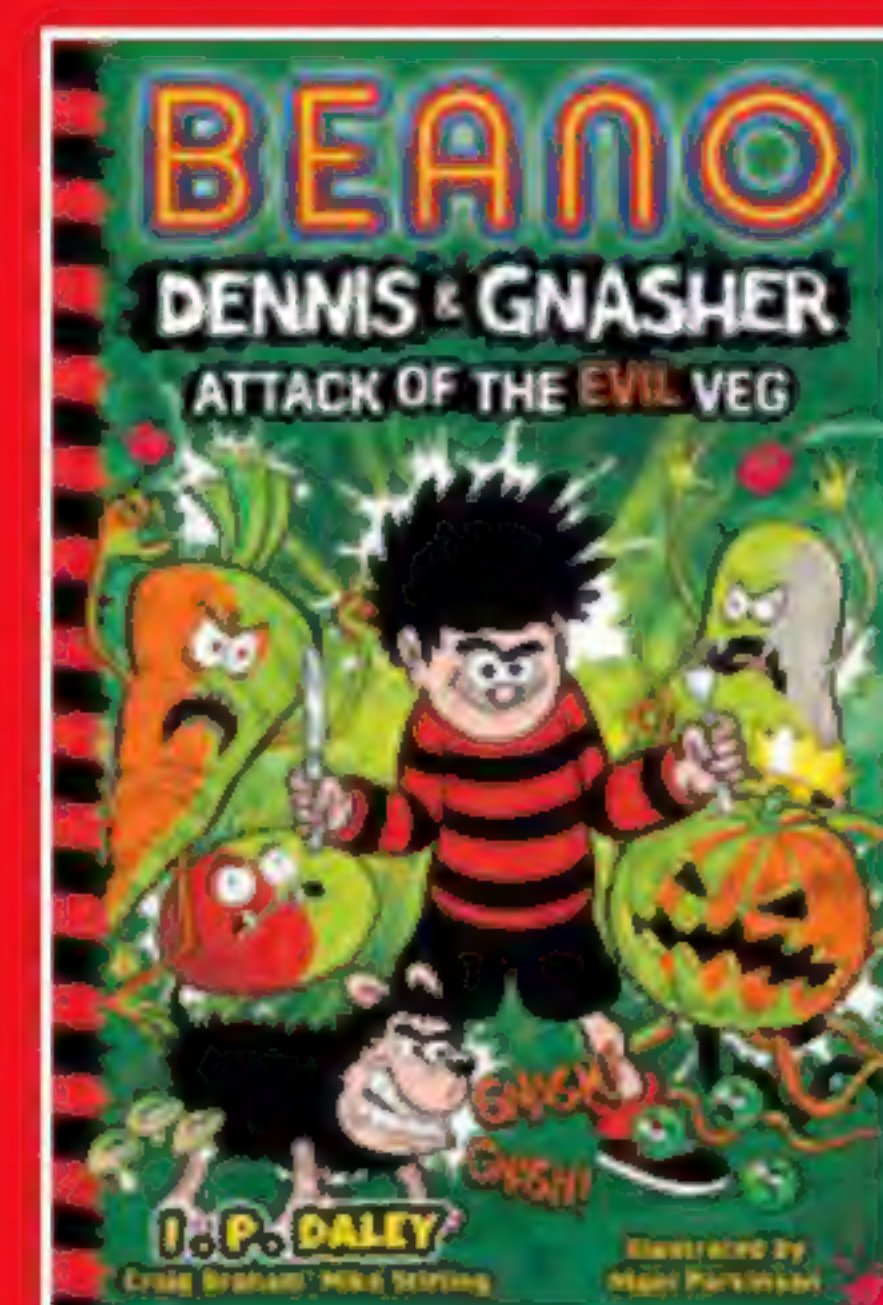
Science Laboratory - where the science happens! Experiments, tests, genius ideas, sometimes little explosions (but the Prof doesn't like to talk about them).

8

Gym and Fitness Centre - it has a hydrotherapy pool and gym equipment so they can keep fit and healthy. This is also where they do research into how humans can live their healthiest life.

9

Cat Flap - yes, it's a big cat flap, but Dodge Cat loves the taste of the Prof's Supergrow Formula! It's also the garage door, where the station's hybrid pickup truck is kept. It's powered partly by electricity and partly by rubbish.



You can read all about some of the Professor's wackier inventions in the latest Beano boomie, **Attack of the Evil Veg!**

HAR HAR'S JOKE SHOP!

MEET BEANOTOWN'S FUNNIEST FAMILY!



WORDS: Hugh Raine ART: Emily McGorman-Bruce



What do you call a telltale whale? A blubber-mouth!

THIS JOKE MADE ME LAUGH SO MUCH!





HARSHA'S PRANK ACADEMY

No.56

THIS HIDING TRICK IS A REAL SCREAM!

You'll need:

■ Nothing!

1



Hide behind a corner or in a cupboard.

2



When the person you want to prank walks by, jump out at them and make a really loud noise.

3



Keep doing this in loads of different places over the course of the day.

4



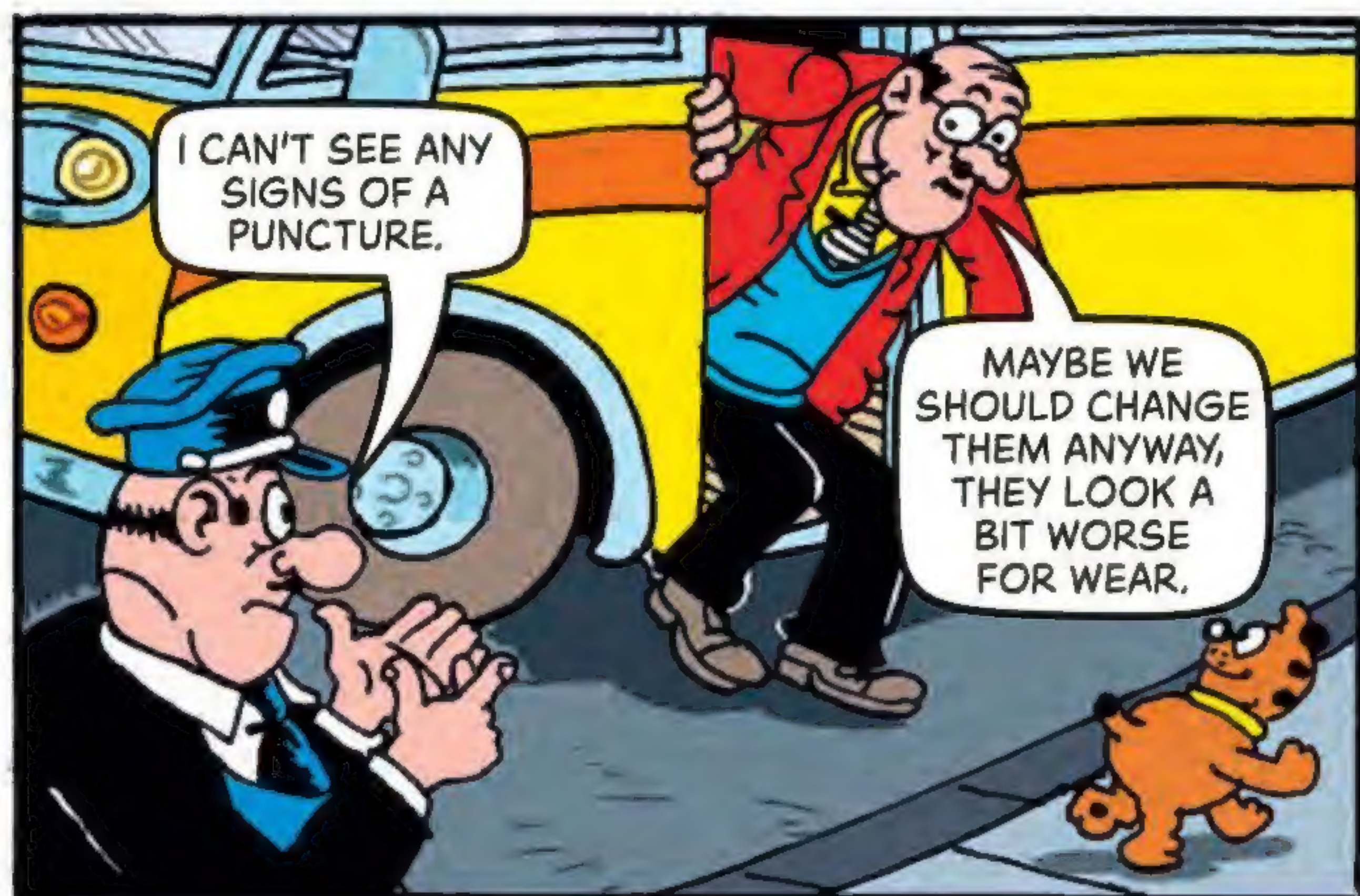
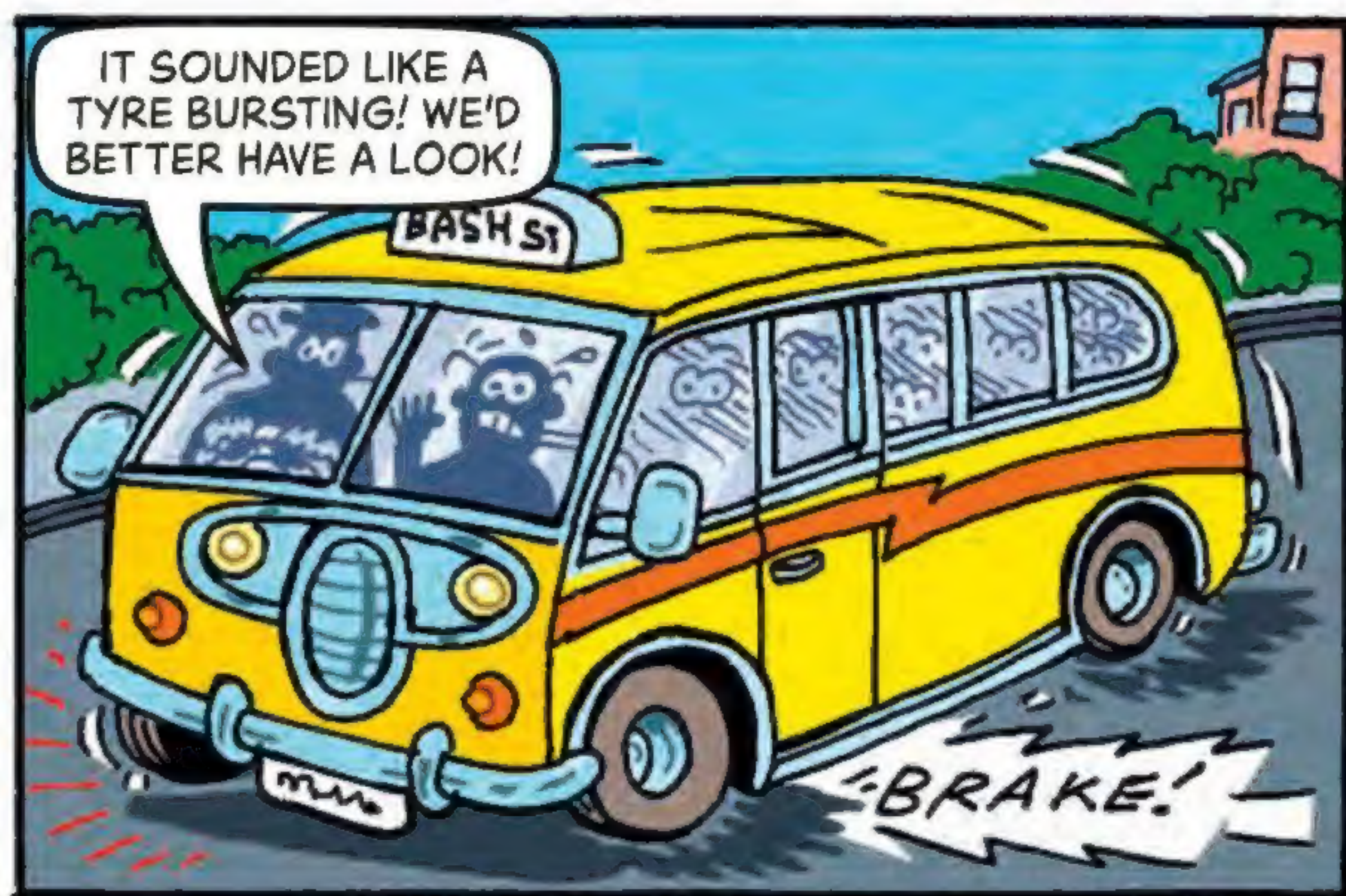
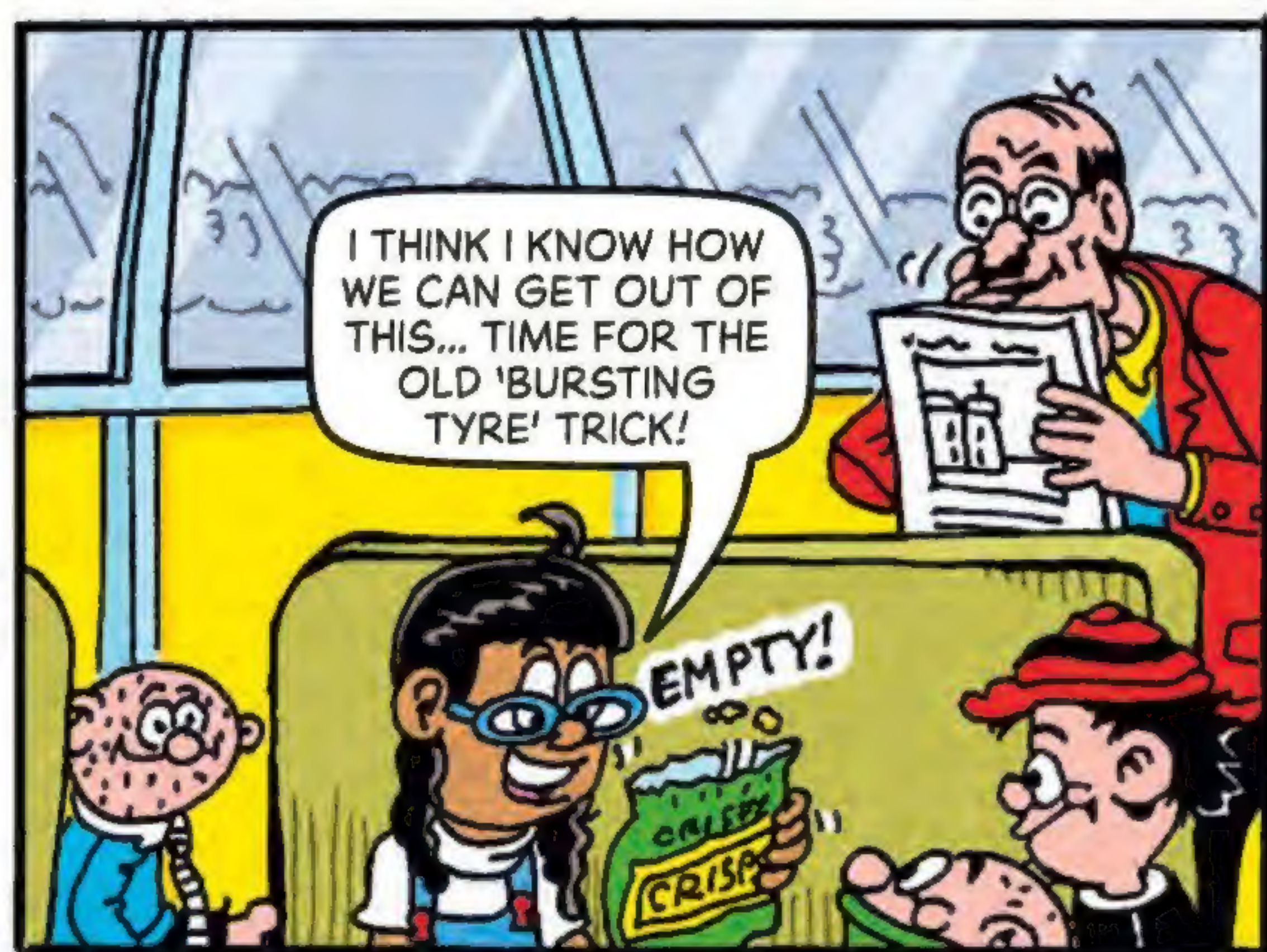
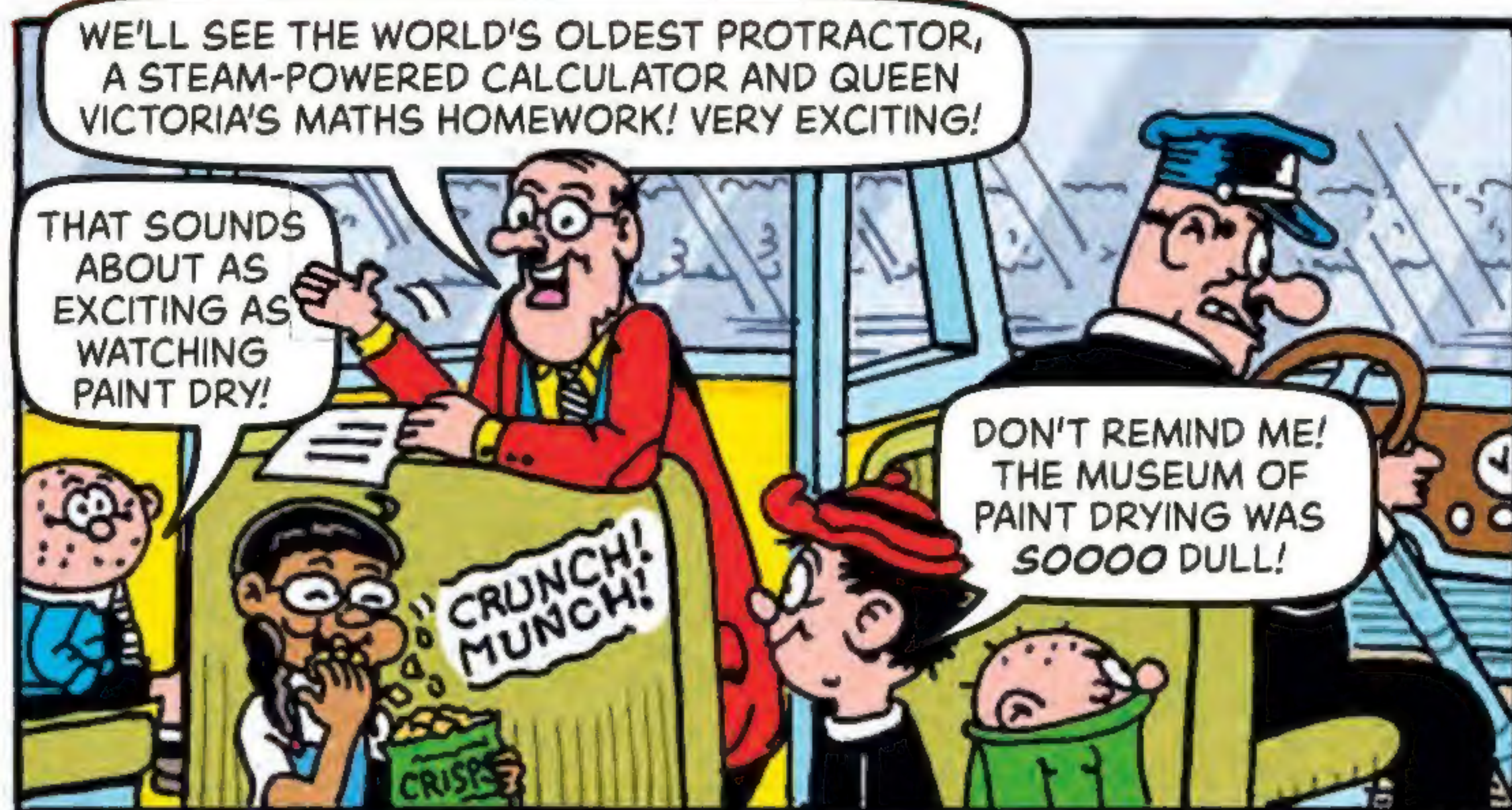
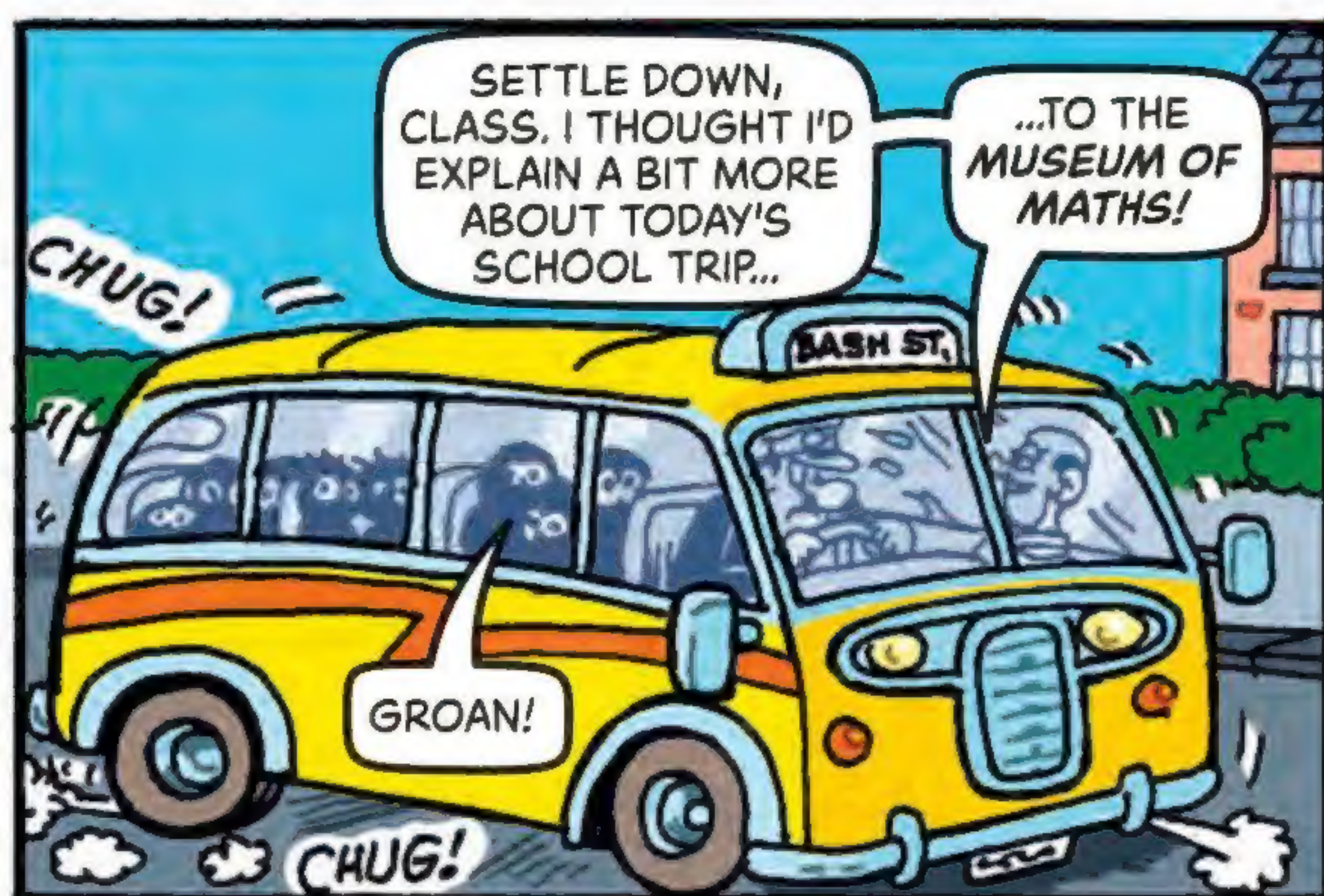
They'll be scared witless after this trick!

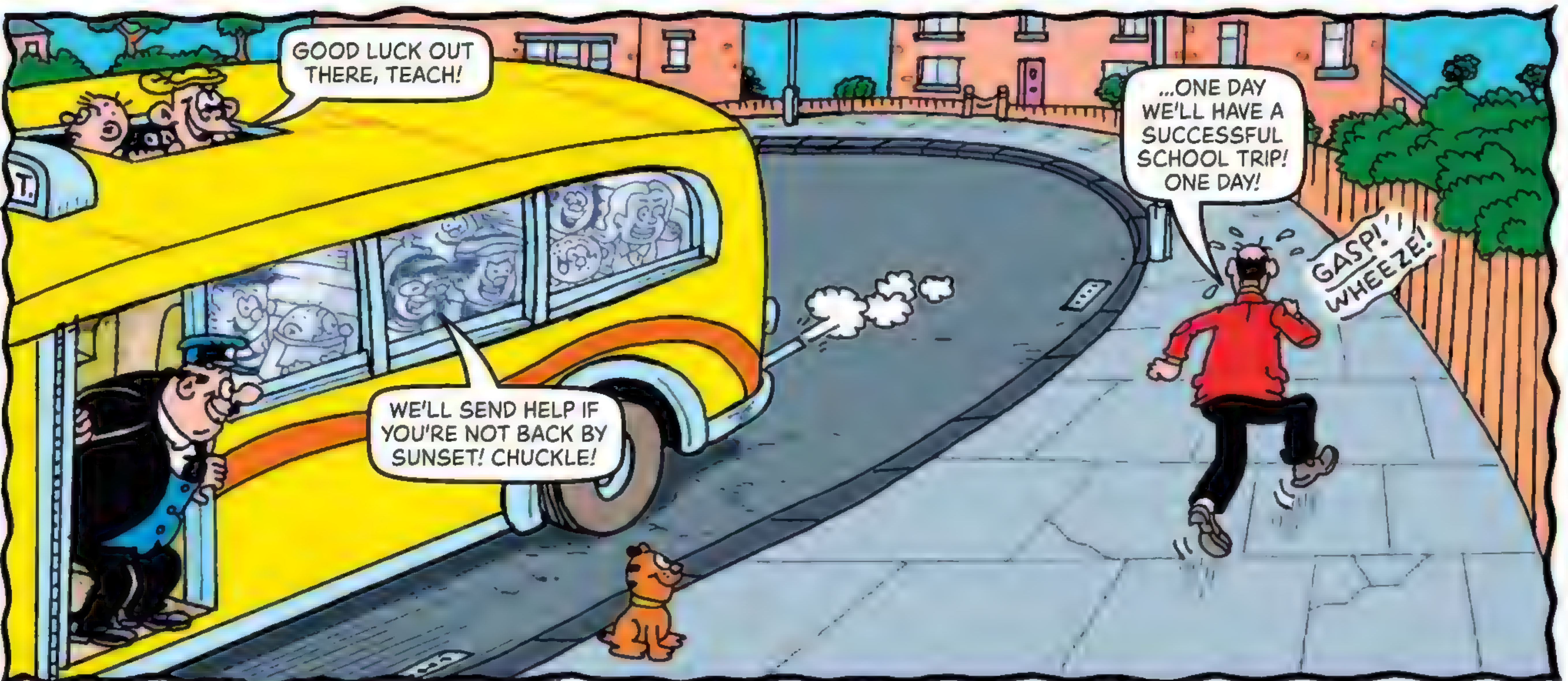
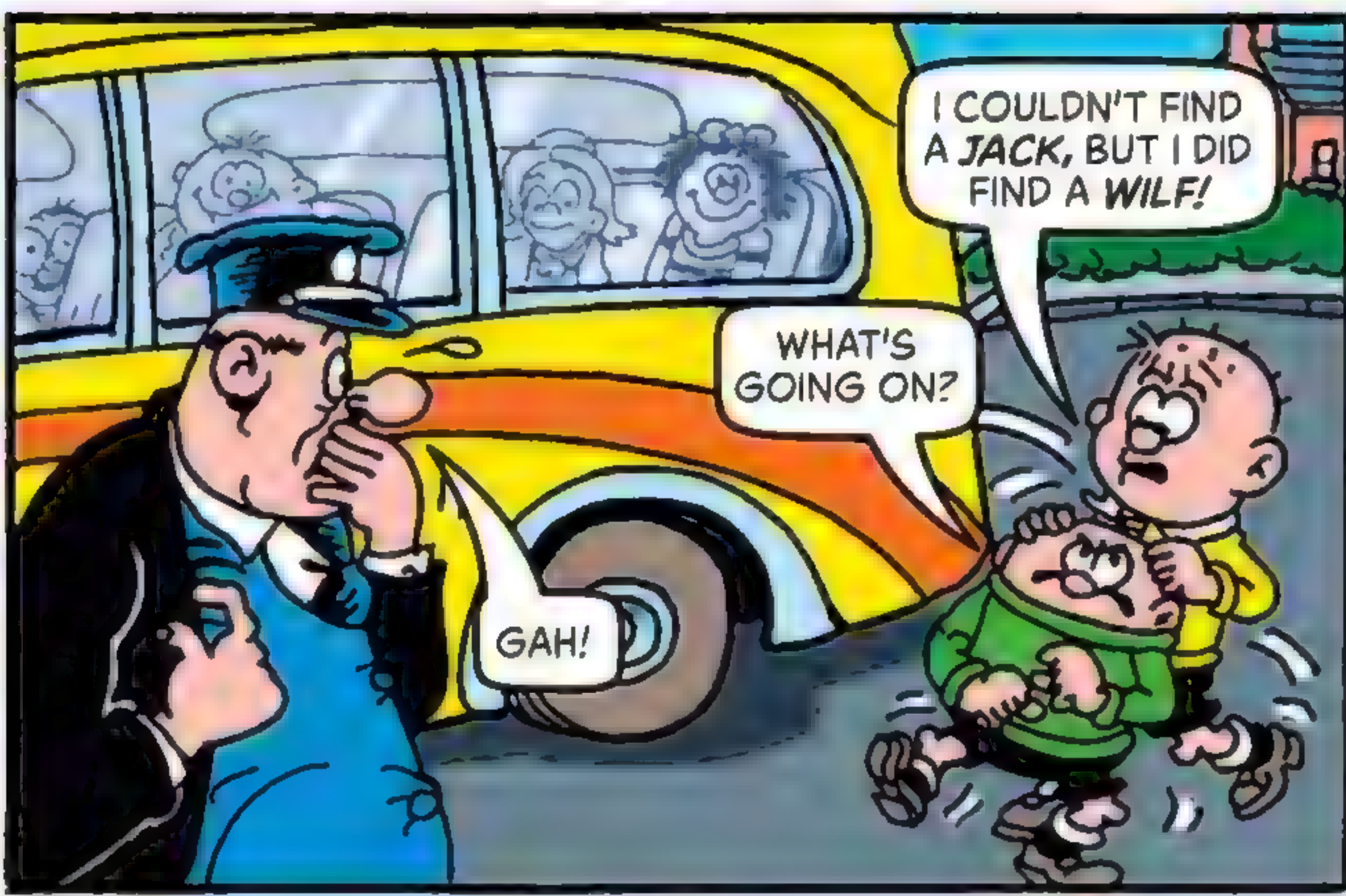


Got a cool prank to share? Send it to bemore@beano.com for a chance to appear on the letters page and win a prize! Don't forget to include a photo of yourself too!

WILFRID SCOTTY TOOTS DANNY SMIFFY HARSHA SIDNEY FREDDY MANDI 'ERBERT PLUG

THE BASH STREET KIDS



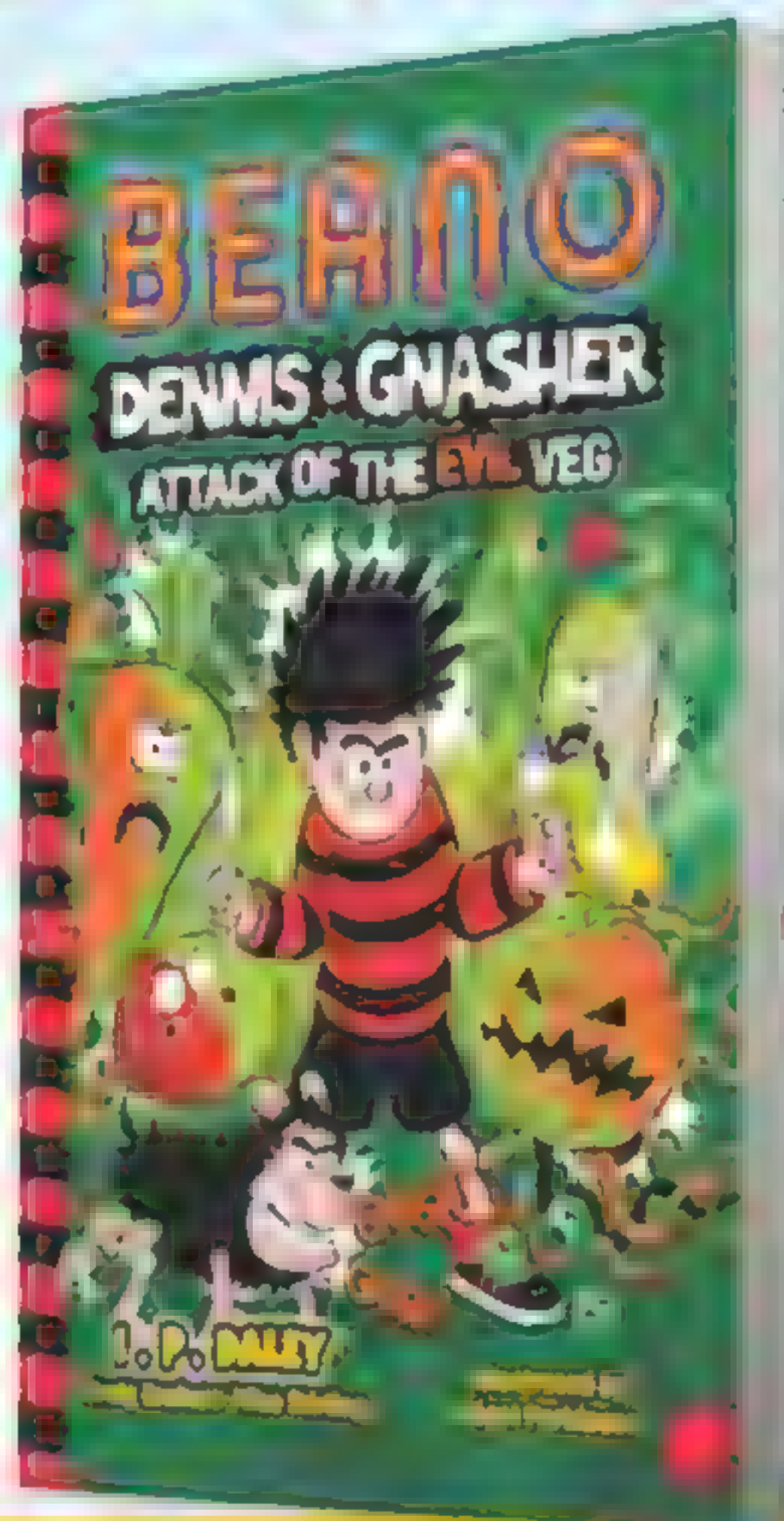


Why did the auctioneer go to school? **Because he had lots to learn!**

WIN!

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The gruesome twosome are back with another brilliant BOOMIC - **Dennis and Gnasher: Attack of the Evil Veg!** A giant army of flesh-eating evil vegetables has sprouted all over Beantown! It's up to Dennis and the gang to root them out! We have 30 books to be won!



To have a chance of winning, just answer this question:

**WHICH OF THESE ISN'T A VEGETABLE?
A CELERIAC B PAPAYA C FENNEL**

WIN!

JEX

Nine readers will win a pair of **Jex colour-in shoes!** They come with seven cool fabric pens, an activity book and keyring. You can choose whichever design you'd like on their website jexshoes.com



To have a chance of winning, just answer this question:

**WHAT IS SKETCH KHAD GOOD AT?
A DRAWING B RUNNING C SINGING**



WIN!

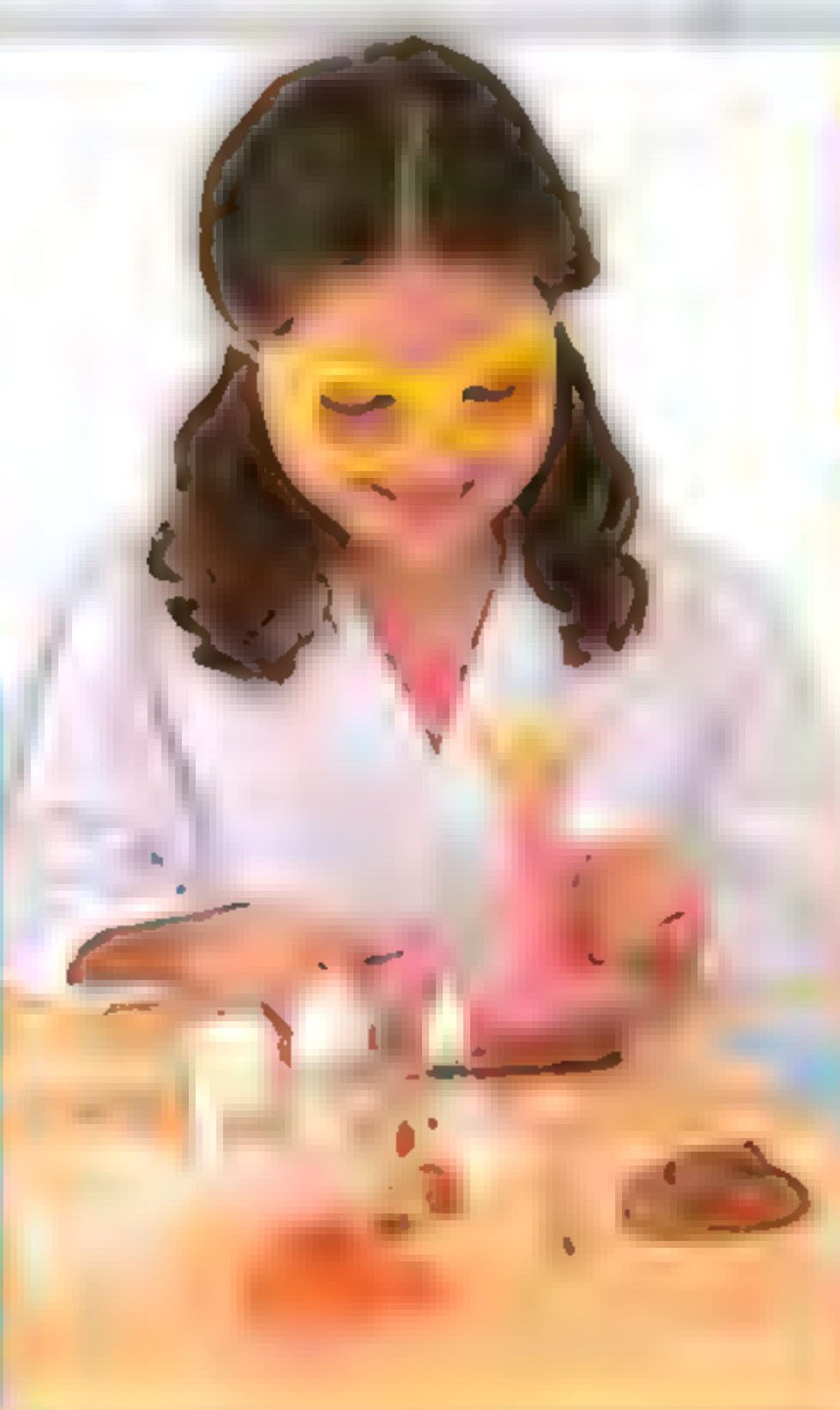
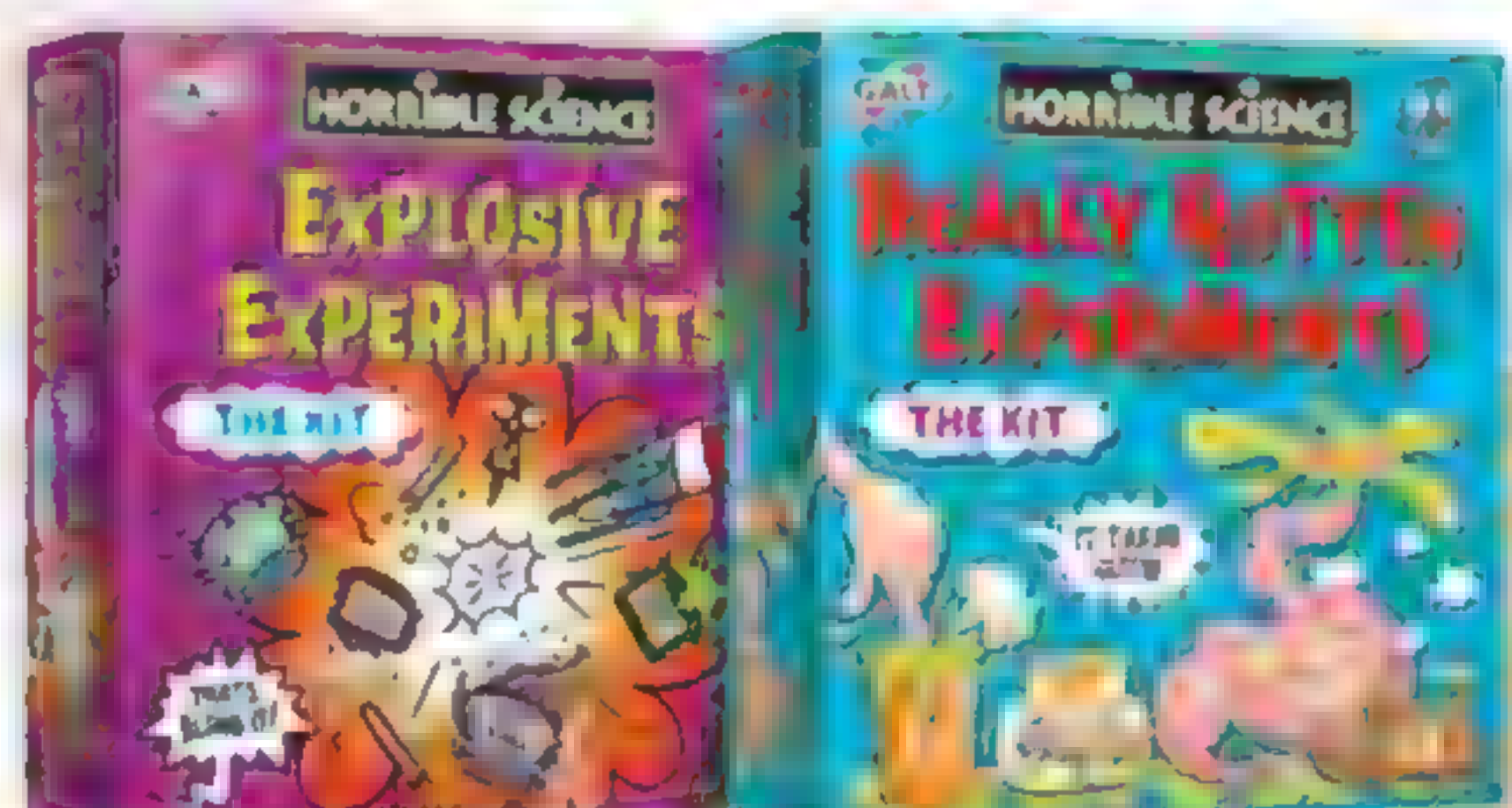
ALL THIS...



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HORRIBLE SCIENCE

Make ghastly green slime, fake poo and vile vomit with **Horrible Science Really Rotten Experiments!** Mix up seriously sticky snot, erupt a volcano and launch a cool rocket with **Explosive Experiments!** Eight readers will win them both!



To have a chance of winning, just answer this question:

**WHICH COUNTRY IS MOUNT VESUVIUS IN?
A ITALY B SPAIN C GERMANY**

HOW TO ENTER!

Email your answers along with your name, date of birth, parent or guardian's name, address, telephone number and email to: comps@beano.com, with **BEANO No. 4134** in the subject line.

Closing dates for entries: May 18th, 2022 09:00am [GMT]. See page 35 for full competition details.

GNASHER & GNIPPER

The adventures of Beanotown's menace hounds!

WORDS: Jess Bradley ART: Barrie Appleby



CALAMITY JAMES

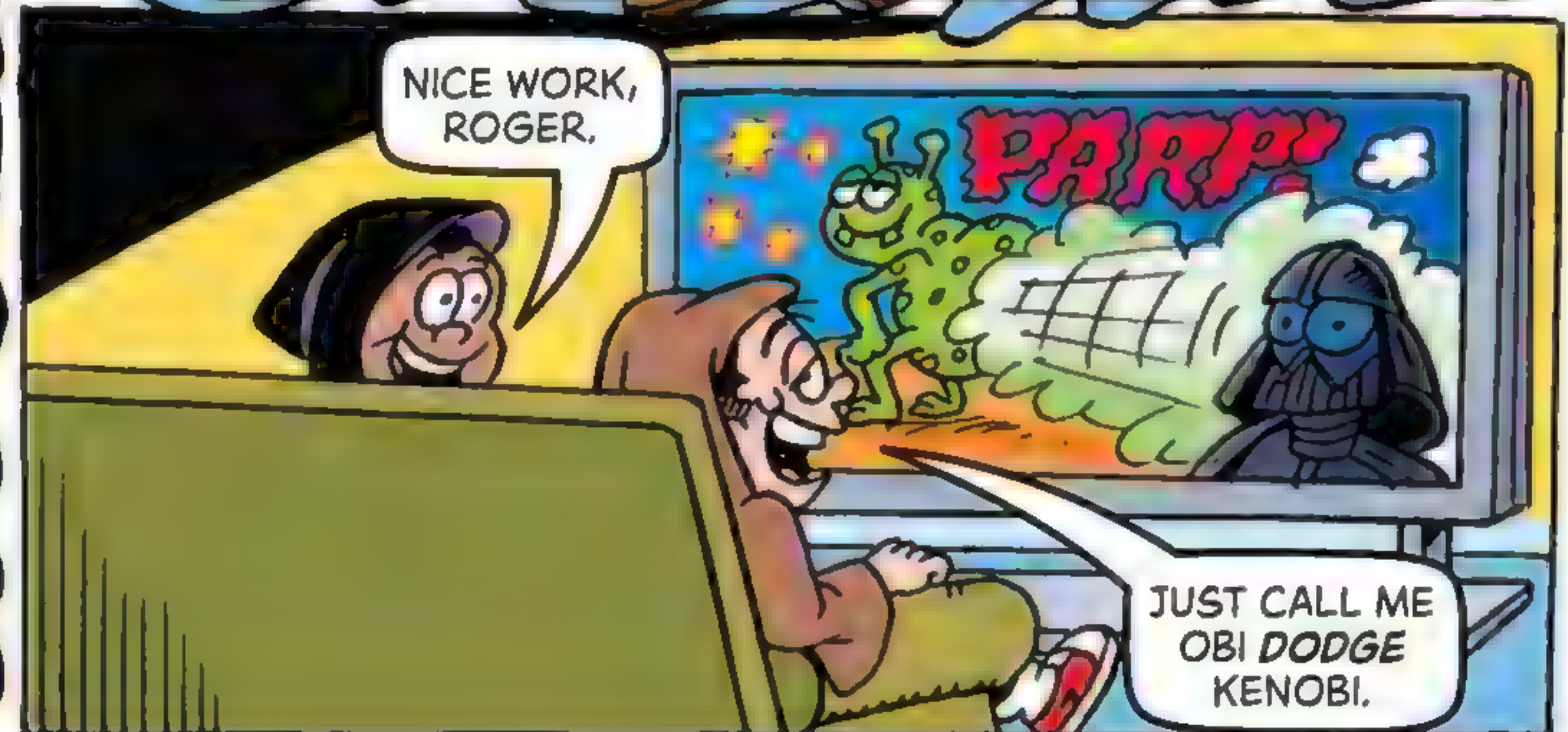
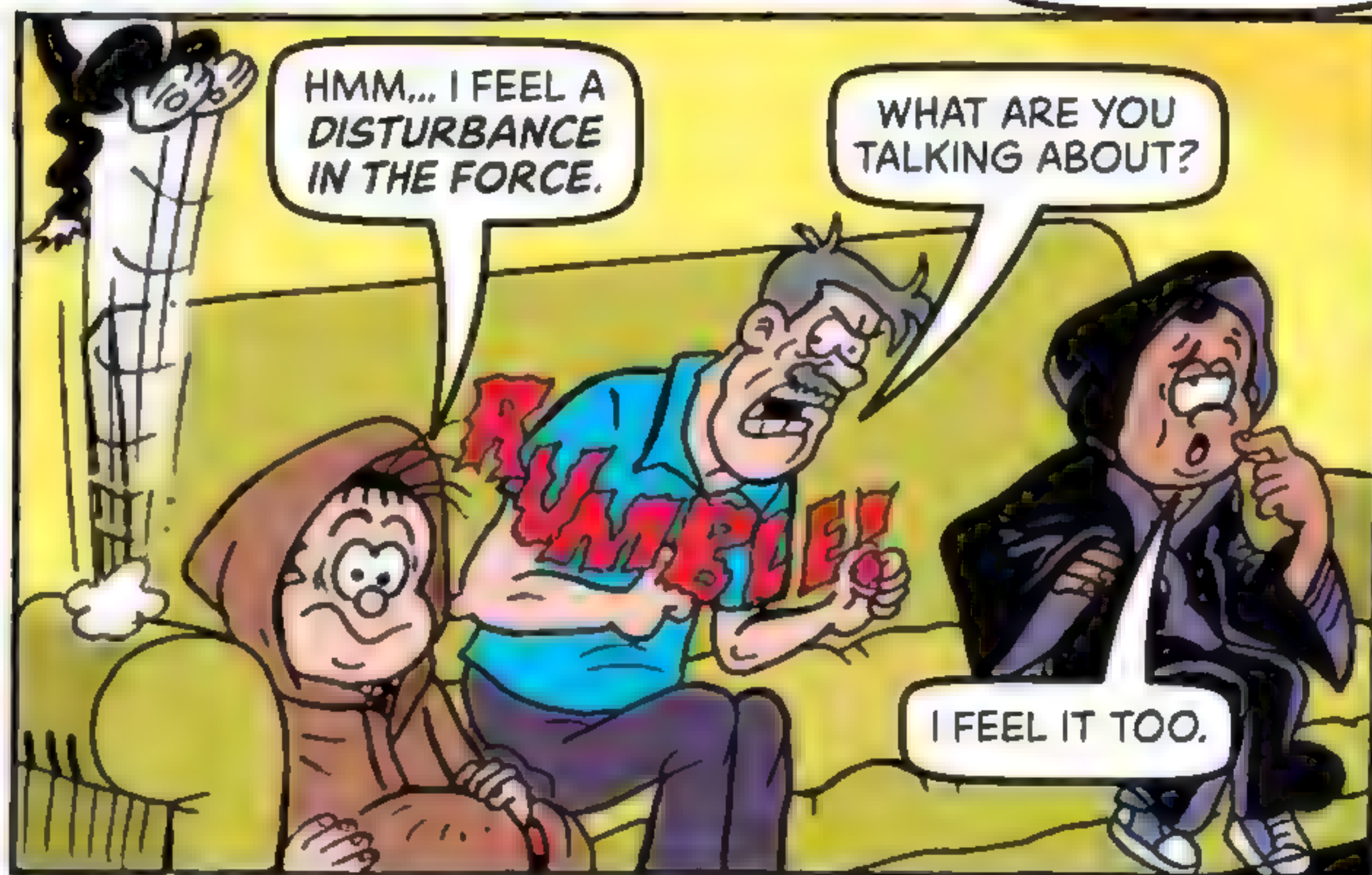
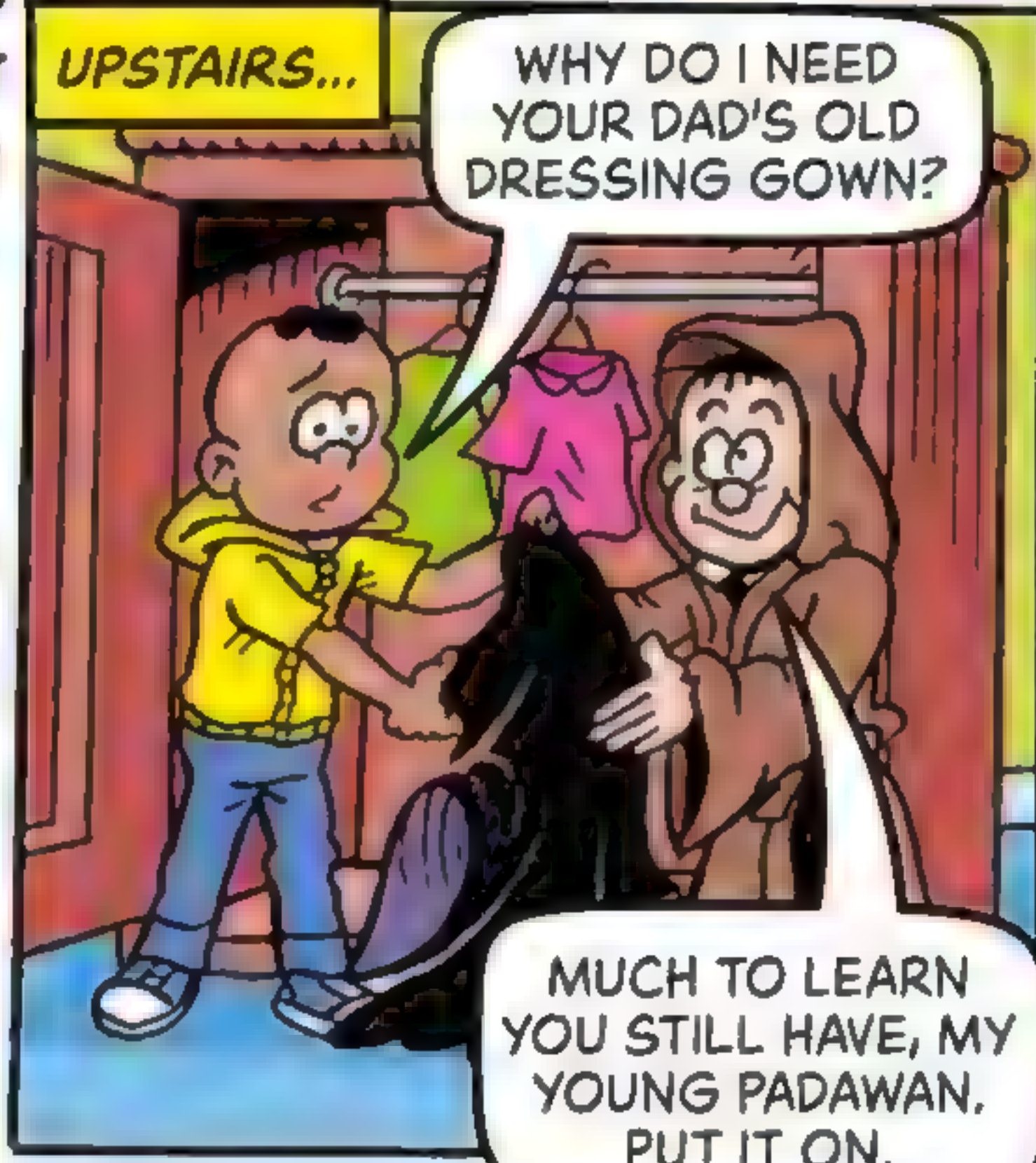
The unluckiest boy in the world!

WORDS: Danny Pearson ART: Leslie Stannage



ROGER THE DODGER

HE'S ALWAYS GOT A TRICK UP HIS SLEEVE!



WORDS: Danny Pearson ART: Barrie Appleby



What's yellow and swings from cake to cake? Tarzipan!

FART WARS!

There's been a disturbance in the Force in class!
A very eggy one! Can you help Roger use his
Jedi mind tricks to sniff out who did it?

CLUES

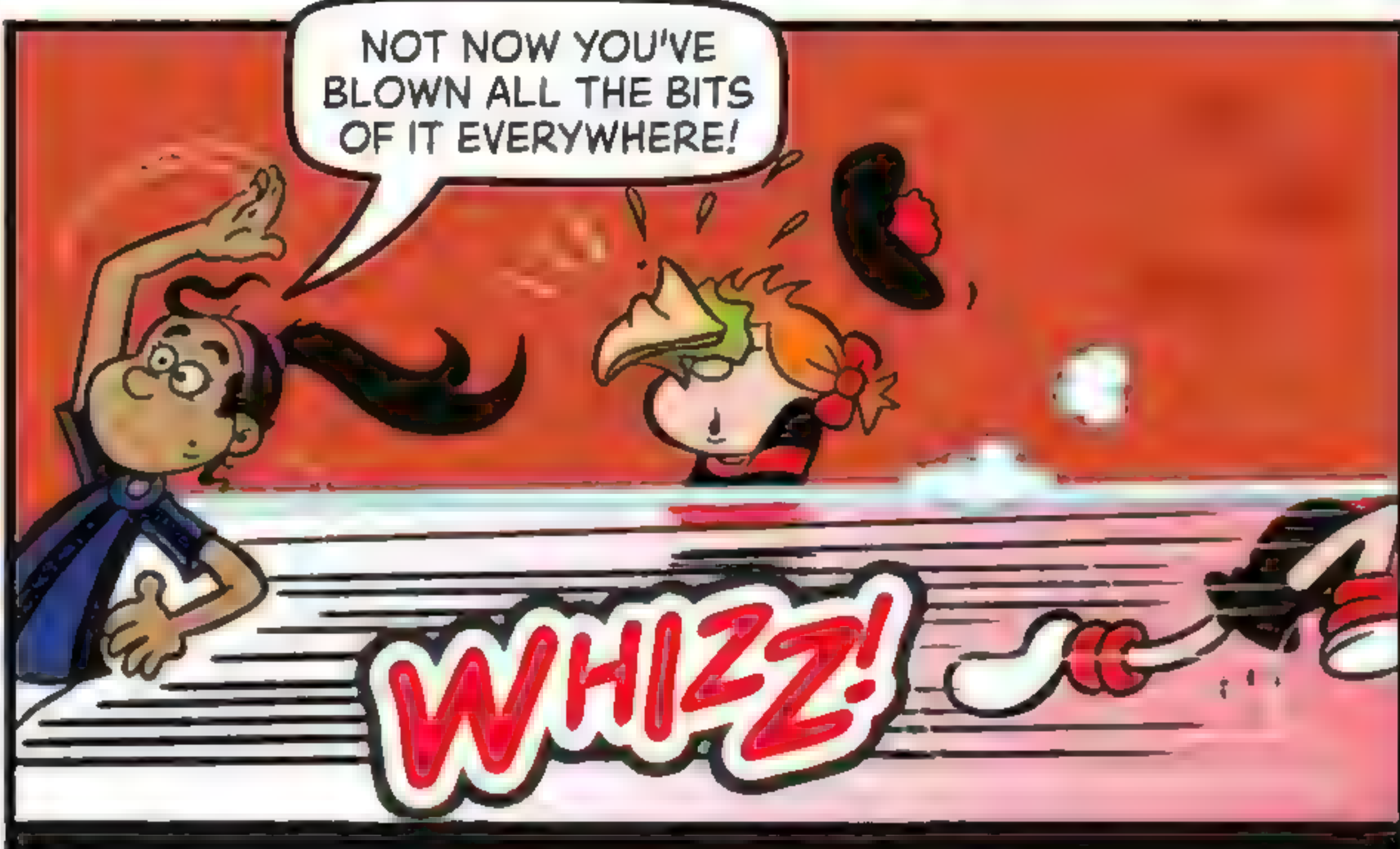
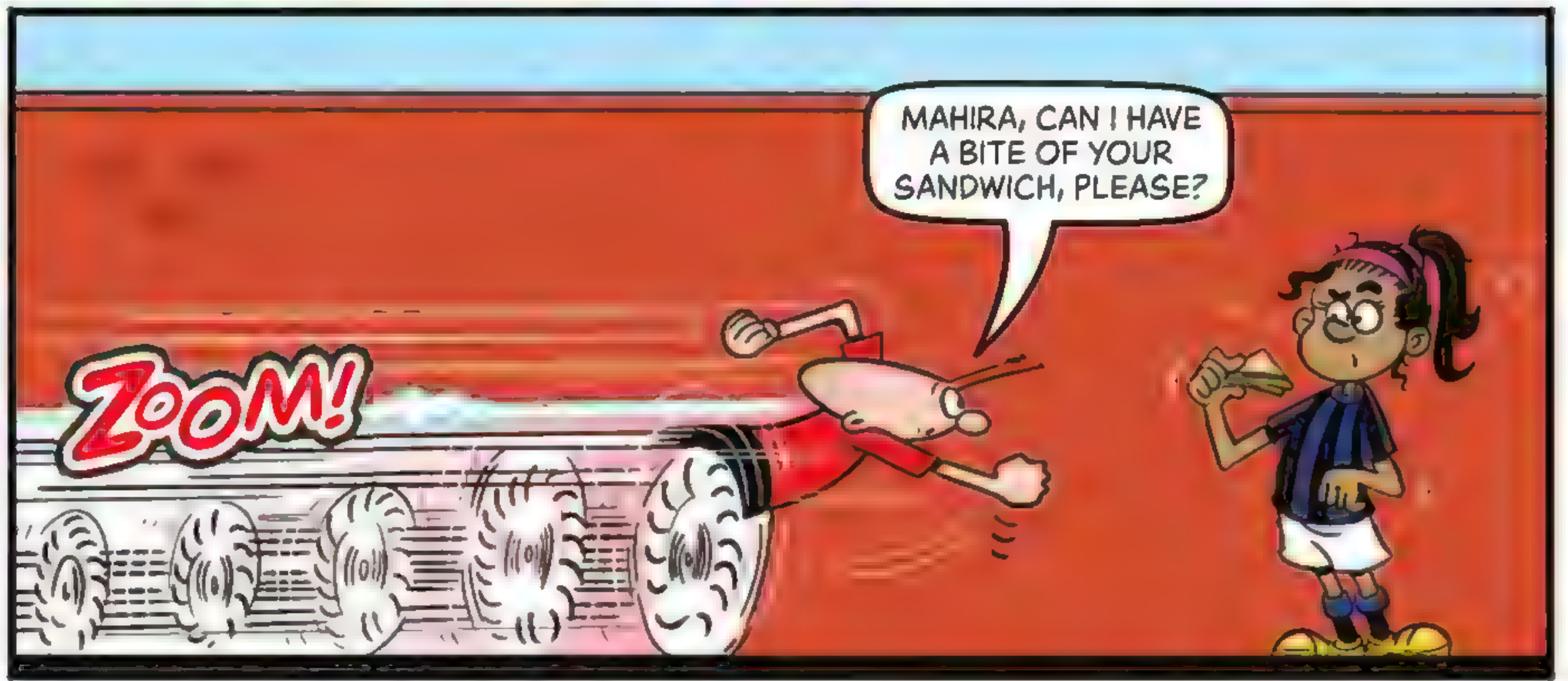
- IT DID NOT SMELL OF PIE.
- THE PHANTOM FARTER DID NOT TRY TO DISGUISE THEIR PARP.
- IT CAME FROM THE FRONT OF THE CLASS.
- IT WAS NOT A BOY.
- MISS MISTRY SMELT IT FIRST.



Q Solution
It was Miss Mistry!
Whoever smelt it dealt it.

BILLY WHIZZ

THE FASTEST BOY IN THE WORLD!



WORDS: Ned Hartley ART: Wayne Thompson



Why is it useless telling shopkeepers to be quiet? Because they don't shut up till the end of the day!

SCRAMBLED FISH LEGS!

Can you unscramble the gross delicacies Olive and Olive are offering Billy from today's school dinner menu?

SCHOOL DINNER MENU!

1 BLURRED CRUISSERS SPOUTS

C _ _ R _ _ _ _ R _ _ S _ _ _ _ _ O _ T _ _

2 KIDS SPLENICAL

_ _ C _ _ E _ S _ _ _ _ S

3 POLE SUE

_ E _ _ O _ P

4 BASH CLED FRIMS

S _ _ _ M _ _ _ D _ I _ H

5 BRILZ PALOZOIC

B _ O _ _ _ _ I _ _ Z Z _

6 LAKE CRIKE CMPLD

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7 CHIEFS E SHY

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8 CHEF LIFTED SPIKE

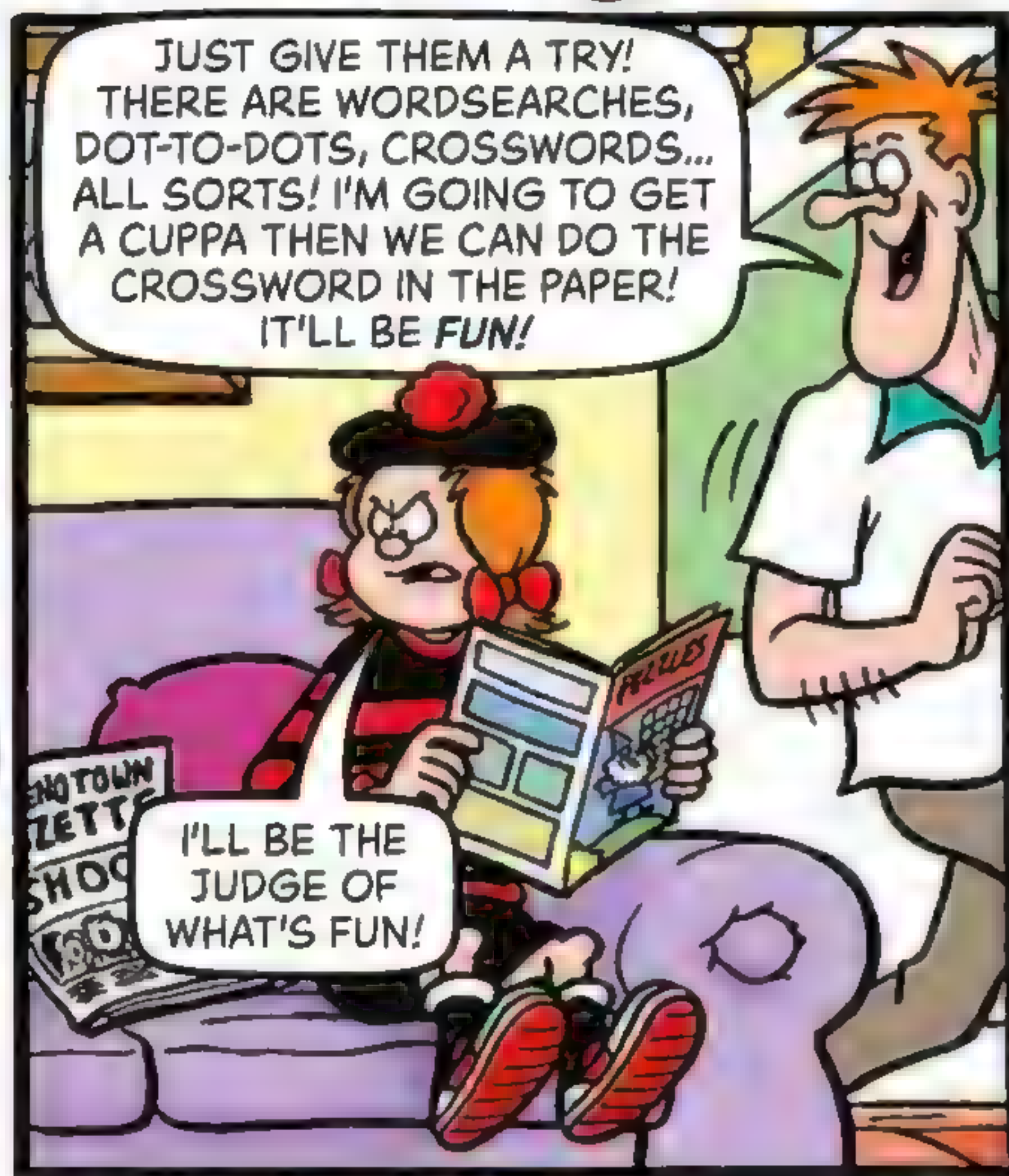
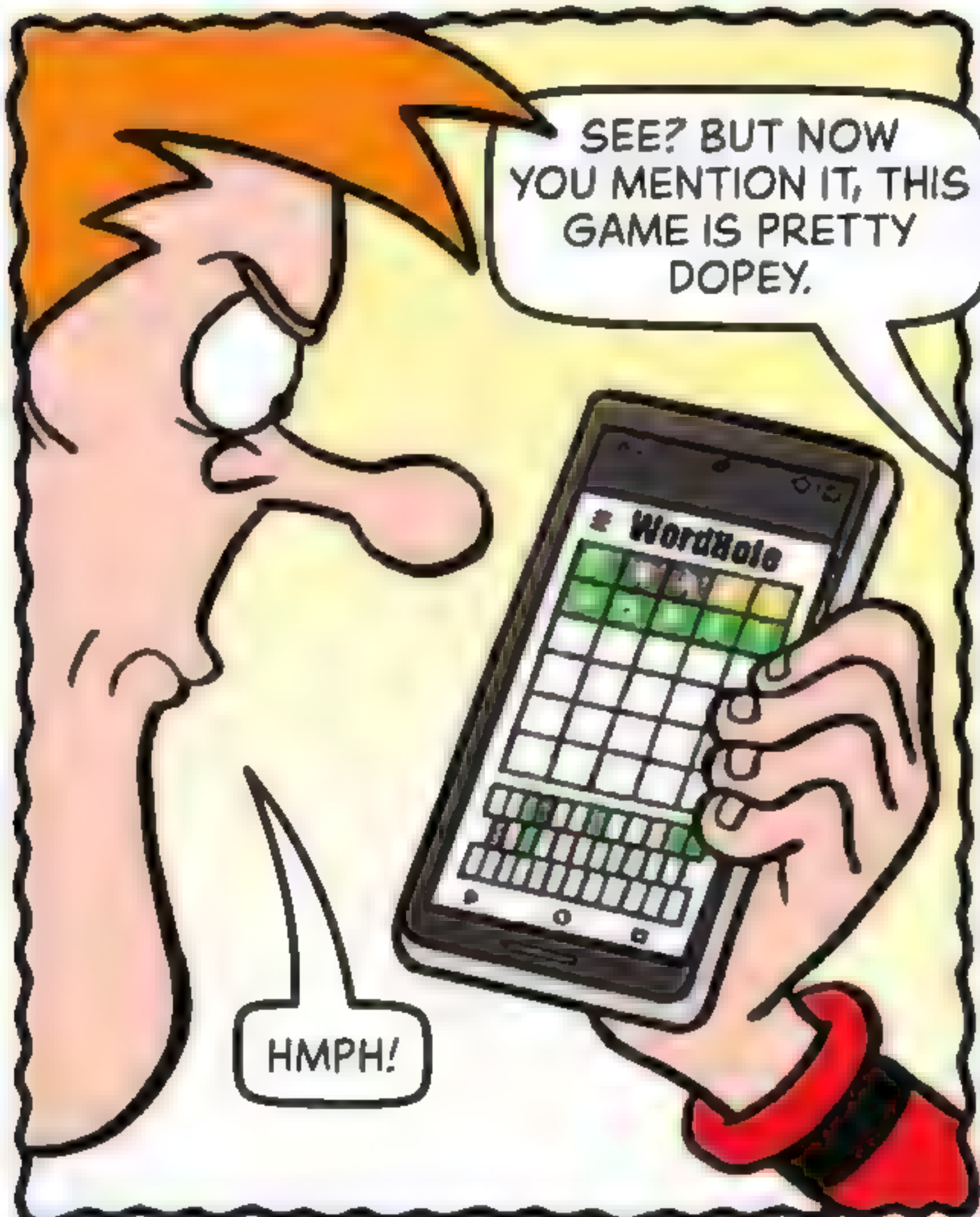
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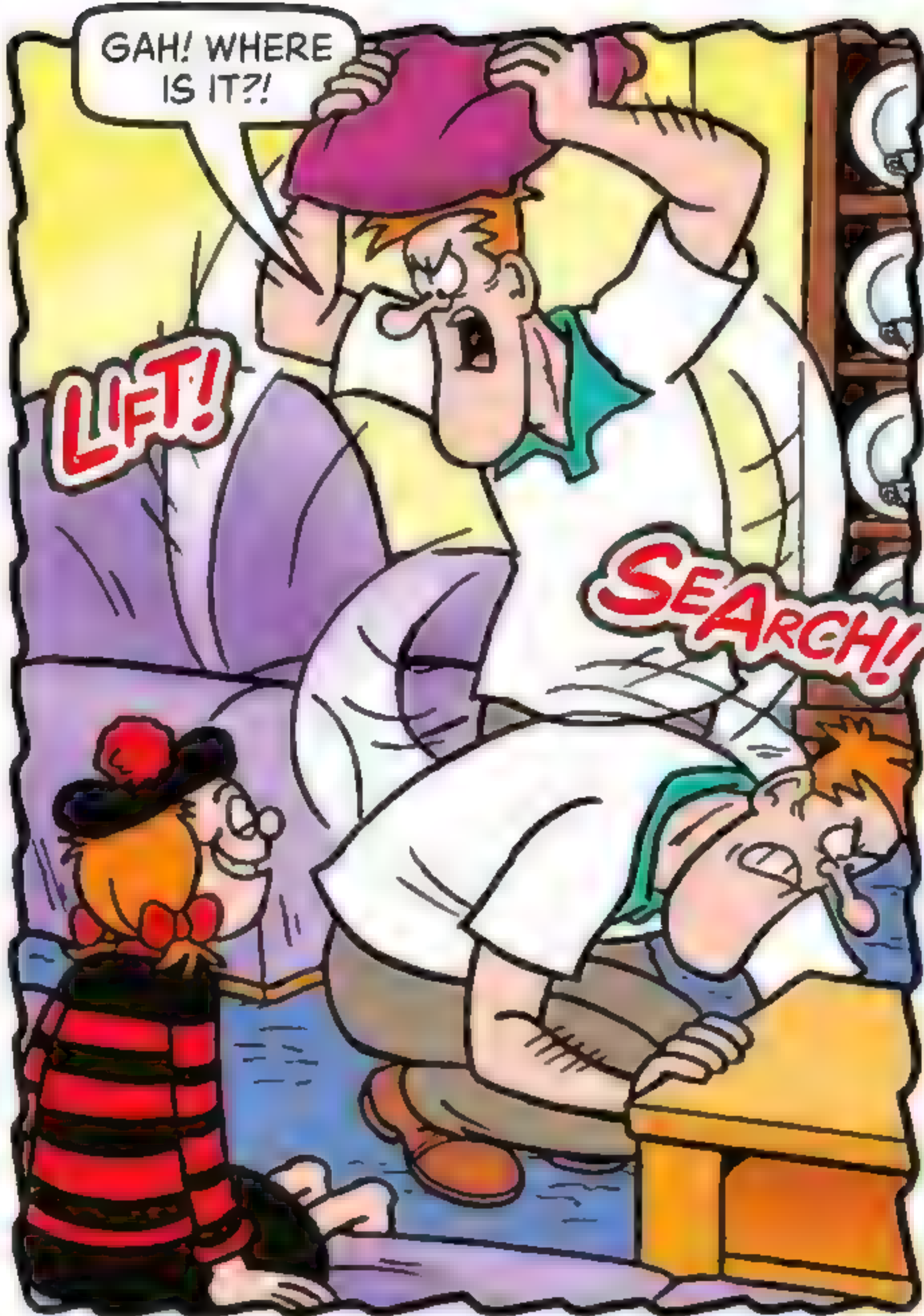
Q Solution

1 CURRIED BRUSSELS SPROUTS
2 PICKLED SNAILS
3 EEL SOUP
4 SCRAMBLED FISH
5 BROCCOLI PIZZA
6 PICKLED MACKEREL
7 CHEESY FISH
8 PICKLED PIGS' FEET


MINNIE THE MINX

SHE'S TOUGHER THAN ALL THE BOYS...





What do you call a Scottish chef? **Dinner Ken!**



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BETTY AND THE YETI!

THE ORDINARY GIRL WITH THE EXTRAORDINARY BEST FRIEND!



WORDS & ART: Hugh Raine



What flies but stays in the same place? A flag!

SKETCH KHAD

Her drawings come to life!

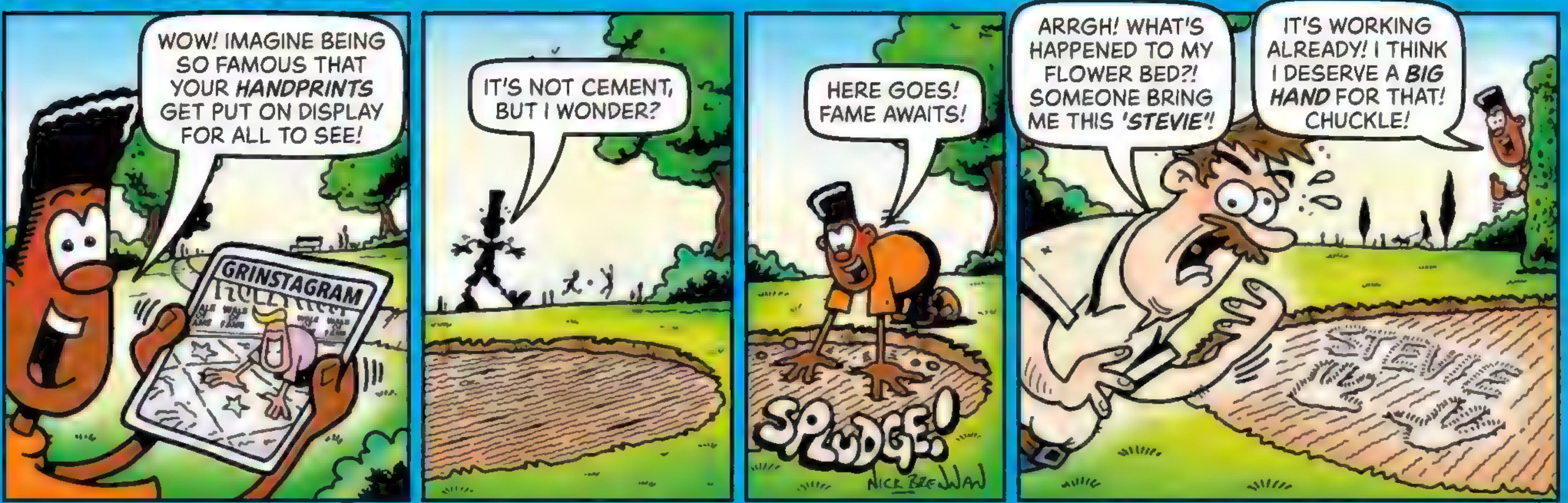
WORDS: Andy Fanton ART: Emily McGorman-Bruce



STEVIE STAR

He just wants to be famous!

WORDS: Andy Fanton ART: Nick Brennan



MAHIRA OF THE MATCH

She's football crazy!

WORDS: Andy Fanton ART: Mel Prats



PUP PARADE

Starring the Bash Street dogs!

WORDS & ART: Lew Stringer



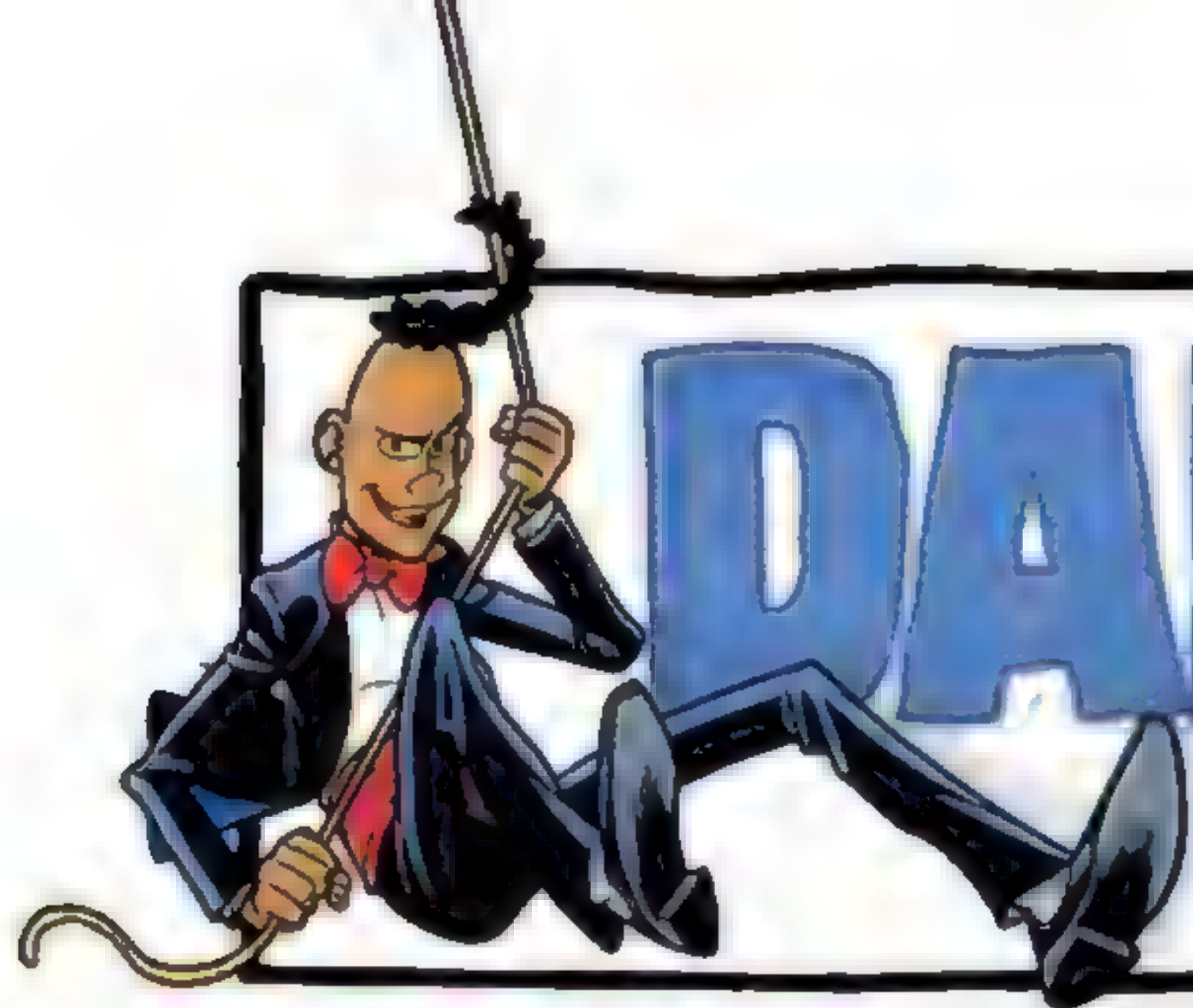
SKETCH WITH...

KHAD!

CAN YOU HELP ME COMPLETE MY PICTURE OF MRS CREECHER? MAKE IT AS FUNNY AS YOU LIKE BY ADDING THINGS LIKE TOMATO SPLATS AND RUBBER SPIDERS!

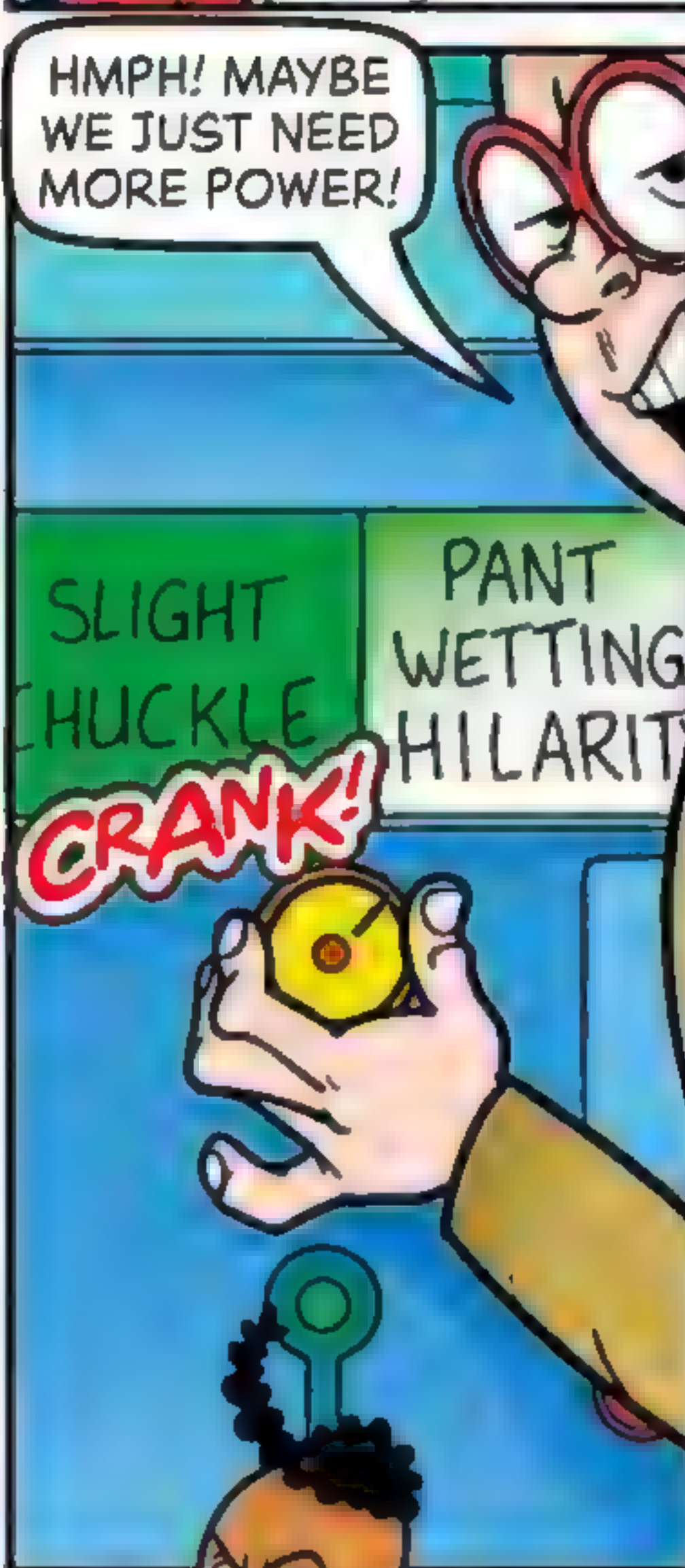


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DANGEROUS DAN

BEANOTOWN'S **TOP** SPY!



WORDS: Andy Fanton ART: The Sharp Bros.



Why is the sea restless?

Because it has stones in its bed!

**JOIN
DENNIS & GNASHER
ON A BRAND NEW
ADVENTURE IN THIS
A-MAIZE-ING BOOMIC!**

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DENNIS & GNASHER

ATTACK OF THE EVIL VEG

CAN DENNIS,
GNASHER AND PALS
ROOT OUT A
HORDE OF GIANT
CARNIVOROUS
VEGETABLES
BEFORE THEY FALL
VICTIM TO
THE ATTACK OF
THE EVIL VEG?

**TOLD
WITH
FUNNY
PICTURES**



WHAT DO YOU GET
IF YOU MIX *BOOKS*
AND *COMICS*?

BOOMICS!

GNASH!

GNASH!

I.P. DALEY

Craig Graham Mike Stirling

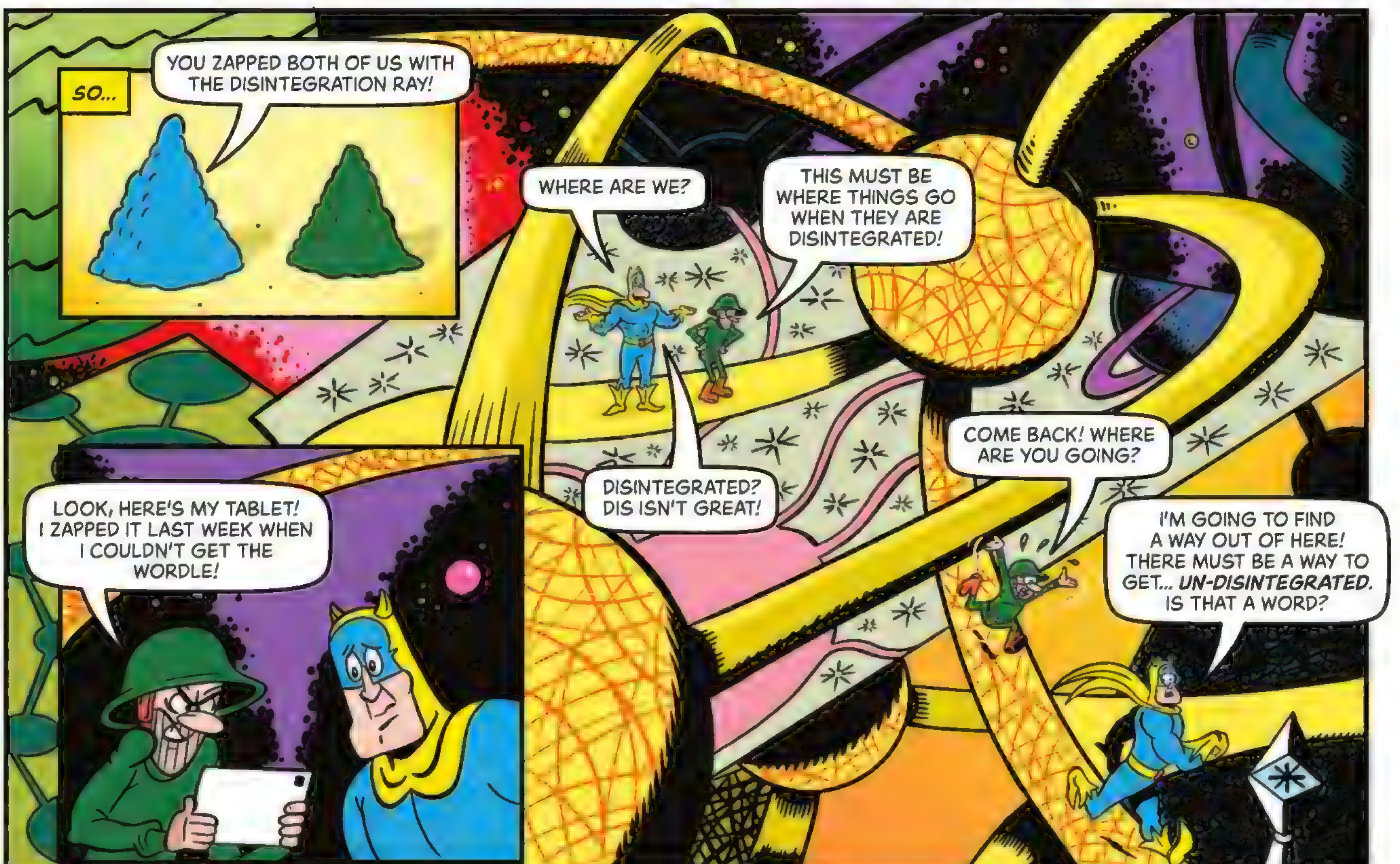
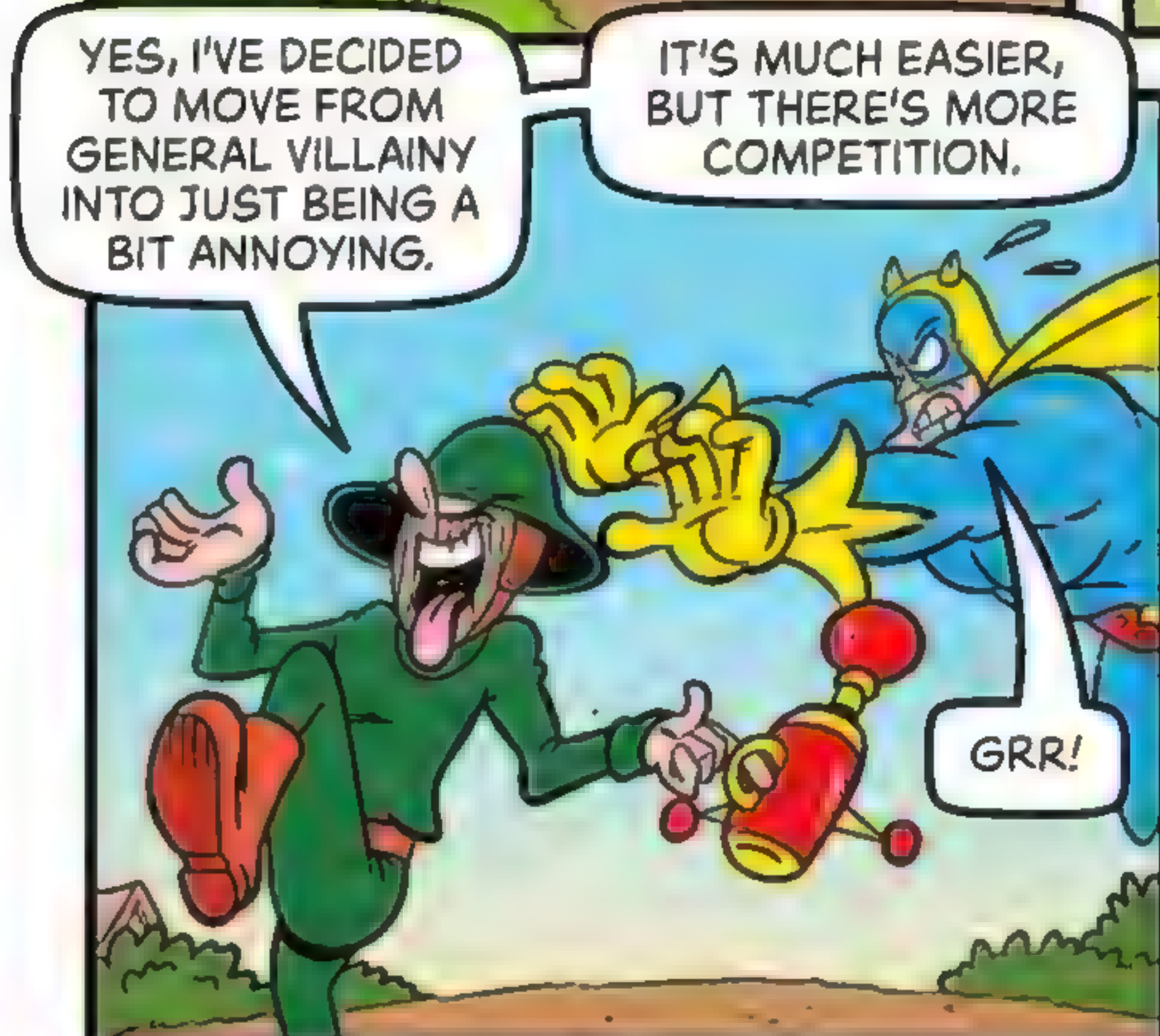
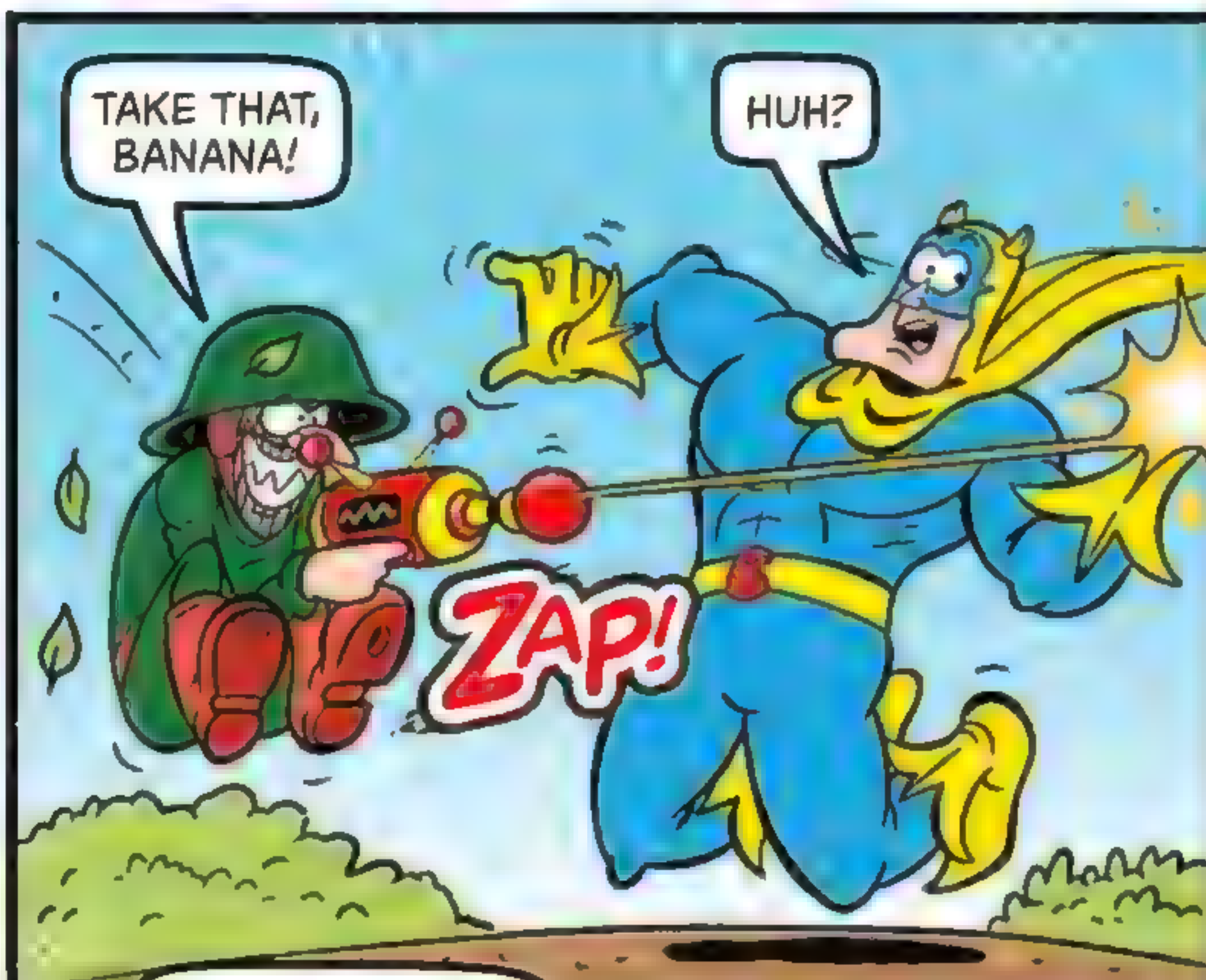
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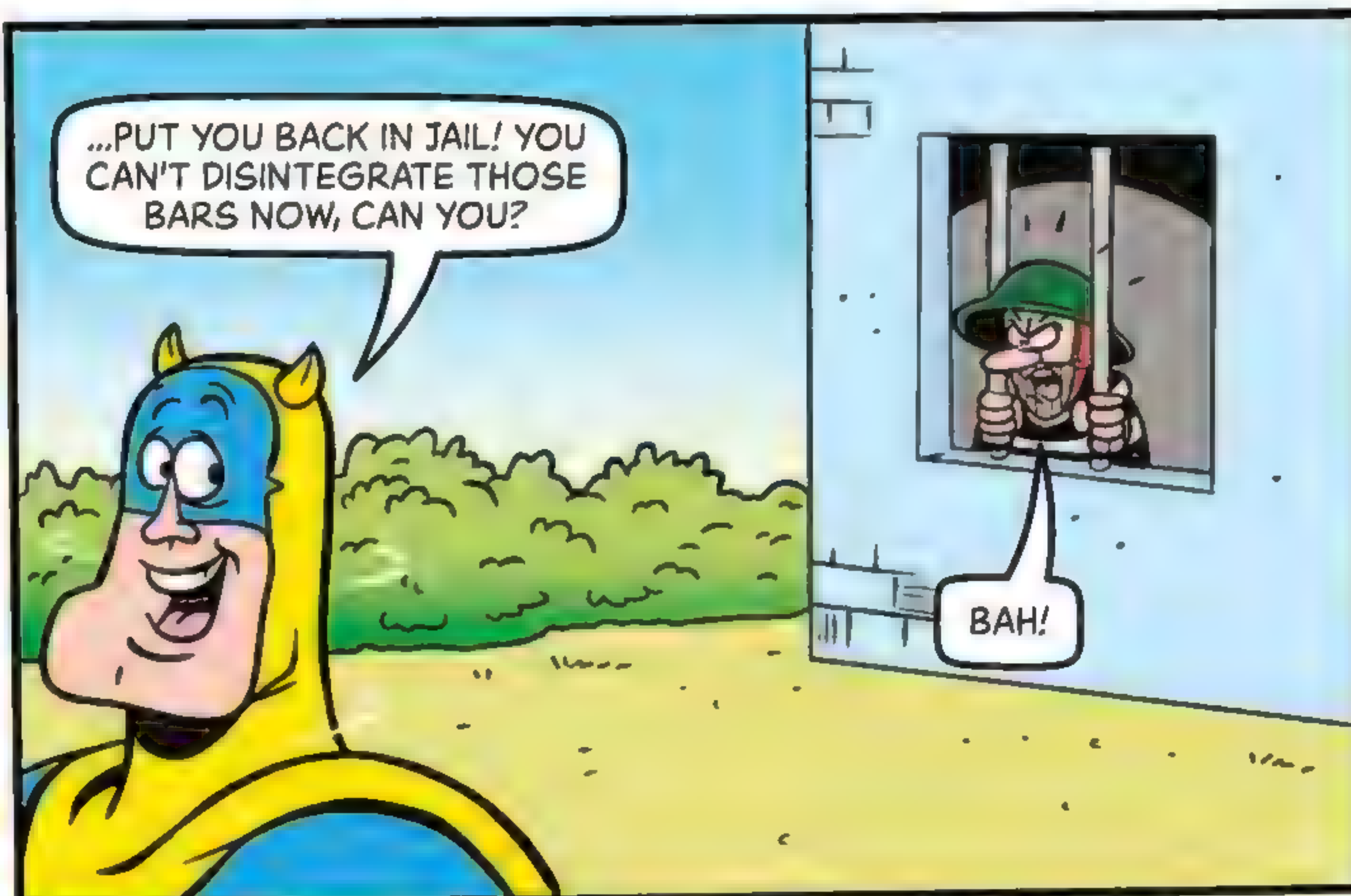
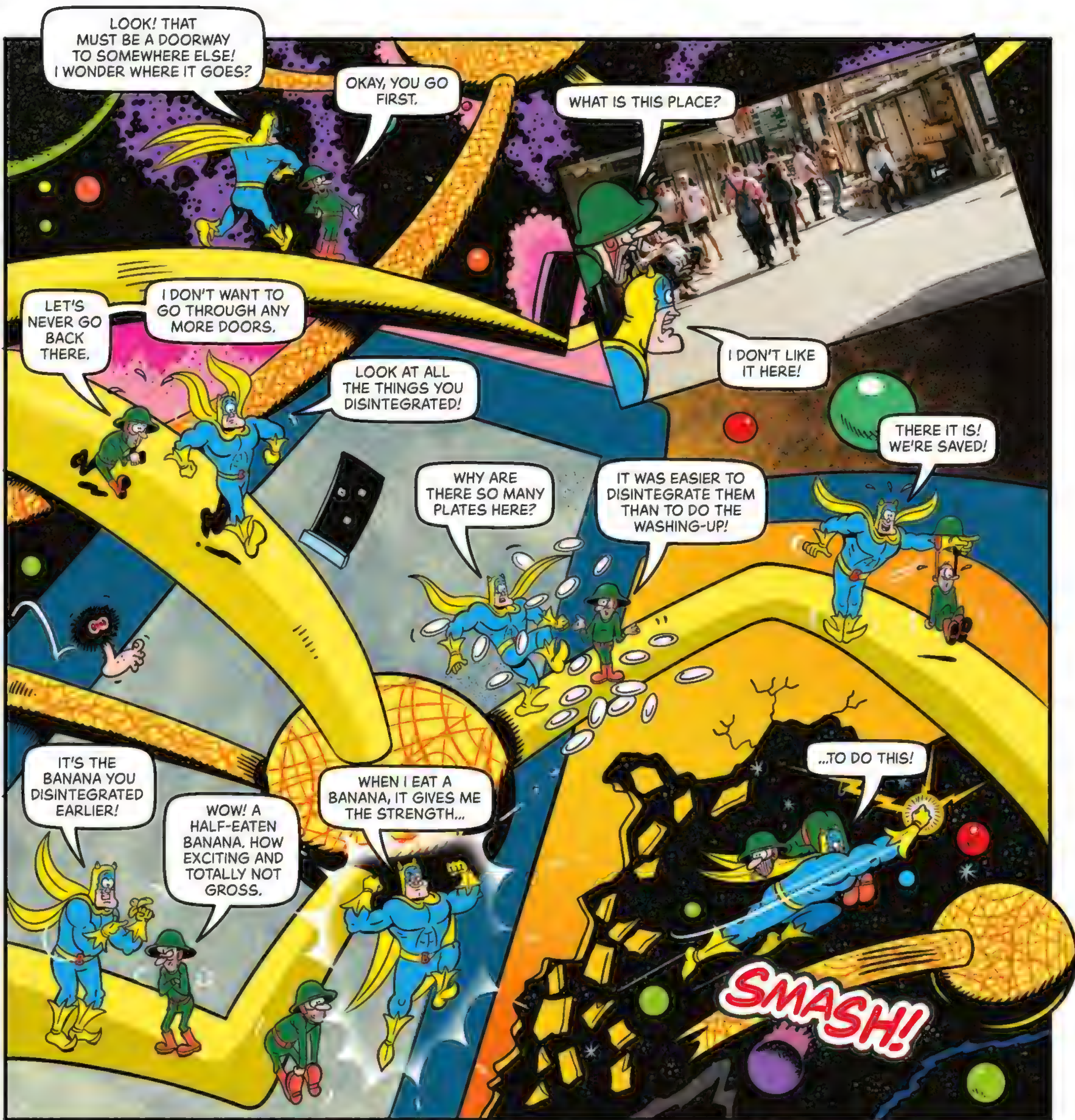


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Who likes to see their work worn out? **A shoemaker!**

DISINTEGRATED JOKES!

Can you add the words that General Blight has disintegrated back into the jokes?

Use these words to fill in the blanks:

LAVA
BENJAMIN
BORED
SNAKE'S
GLASS
CHEESY
SINK
BIRDS
CLOUD

1 WHAT DOES A ----- WEAR
UNDER THEIR CLOTHES?
THUNDERWEAR!

5 WHAT DO KIDS
PLAY WHEN THEY
HAVE NOTHING
TO DO?
----- **GAMES!**

2 WHAT DID ONE
VOLCANO SAY TO
THE OTHER?
'I..... YOU!'

6 WHAT DO -----
GIVE OUT AT
HALLOWEEN?
TWEETS!

3 WHY DO WE
NEVER TELL JOKES
ABOUT PIZZA?
THEY'RE TOO -----!

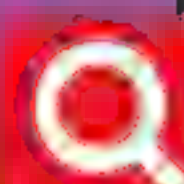
7 WHAT'S A -----
BEST SUBJECT
AT SCHOOL?
HISS-TORY!

8 WHY CAN'T YOU
TELL A JOKE
AROUND -----?
IT'LL CRACK UP!

4 WHAT DID THE
----- SAY TO THE
TOILET?
**YOU LOOK
FLUSHED!**

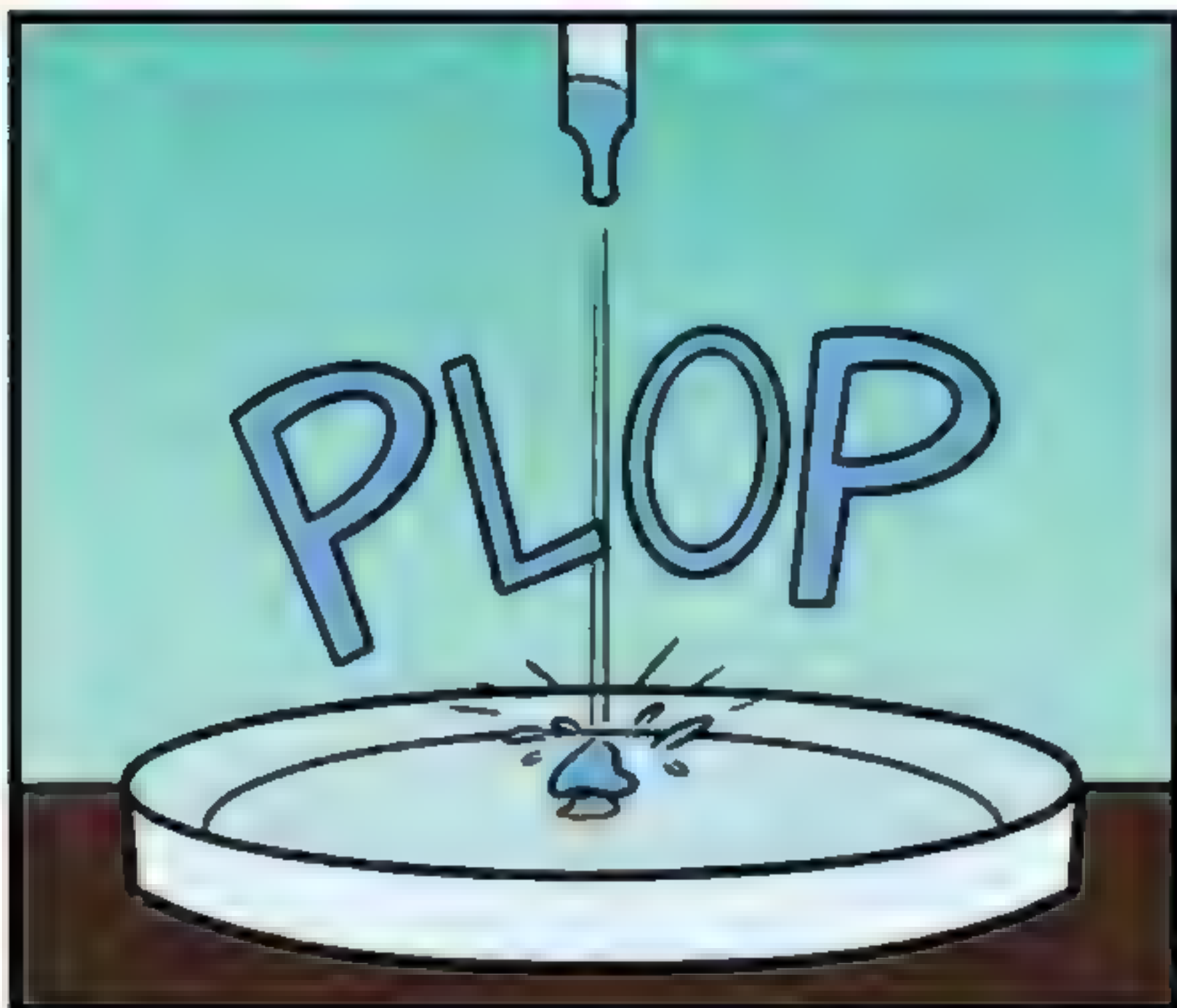
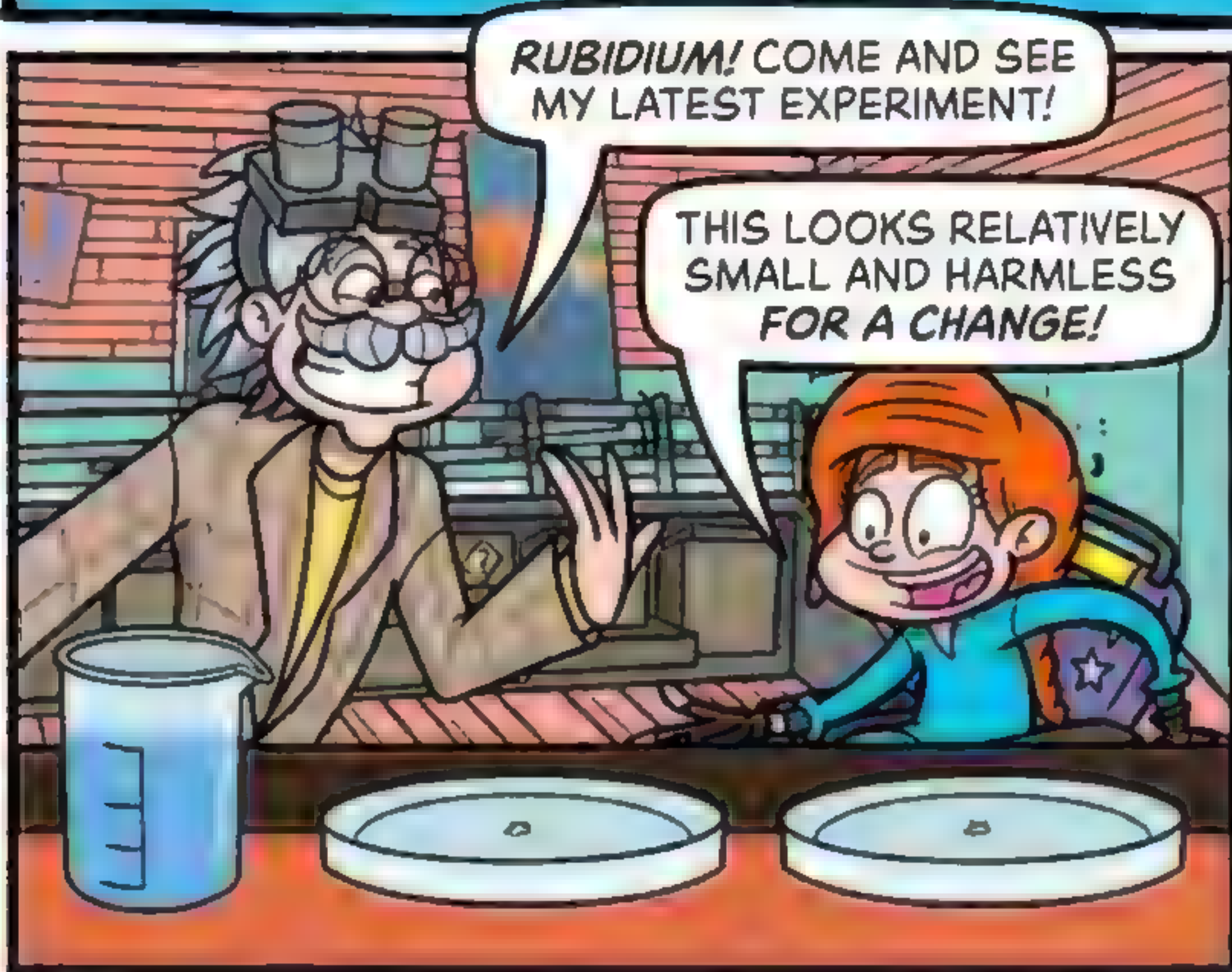
9 HOW DID -----
FRANKLIN FEEL
WHEN HE DISCOVERED
LIGHTNING WAS
ELECTRICITY?
SHOCKED!

Got a funny joke? Send it to
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to appear on the letters page and win
a prize! Don't forget to include a
photo of yourself too!

 **Solution**

1. Cloud, 2. Lava,
3. Cheesy, 4. Sink,
5. Bored, 6. Birds,
7. Snake's, 8. Glass,
9. Benjamin

RUBI'S SCREWTOP SCIENCE



WORDS: Jess Bradley ART: Rianne Rowlands



What part of your face is the most musical? **Your nose - you can pick it or blow it!**

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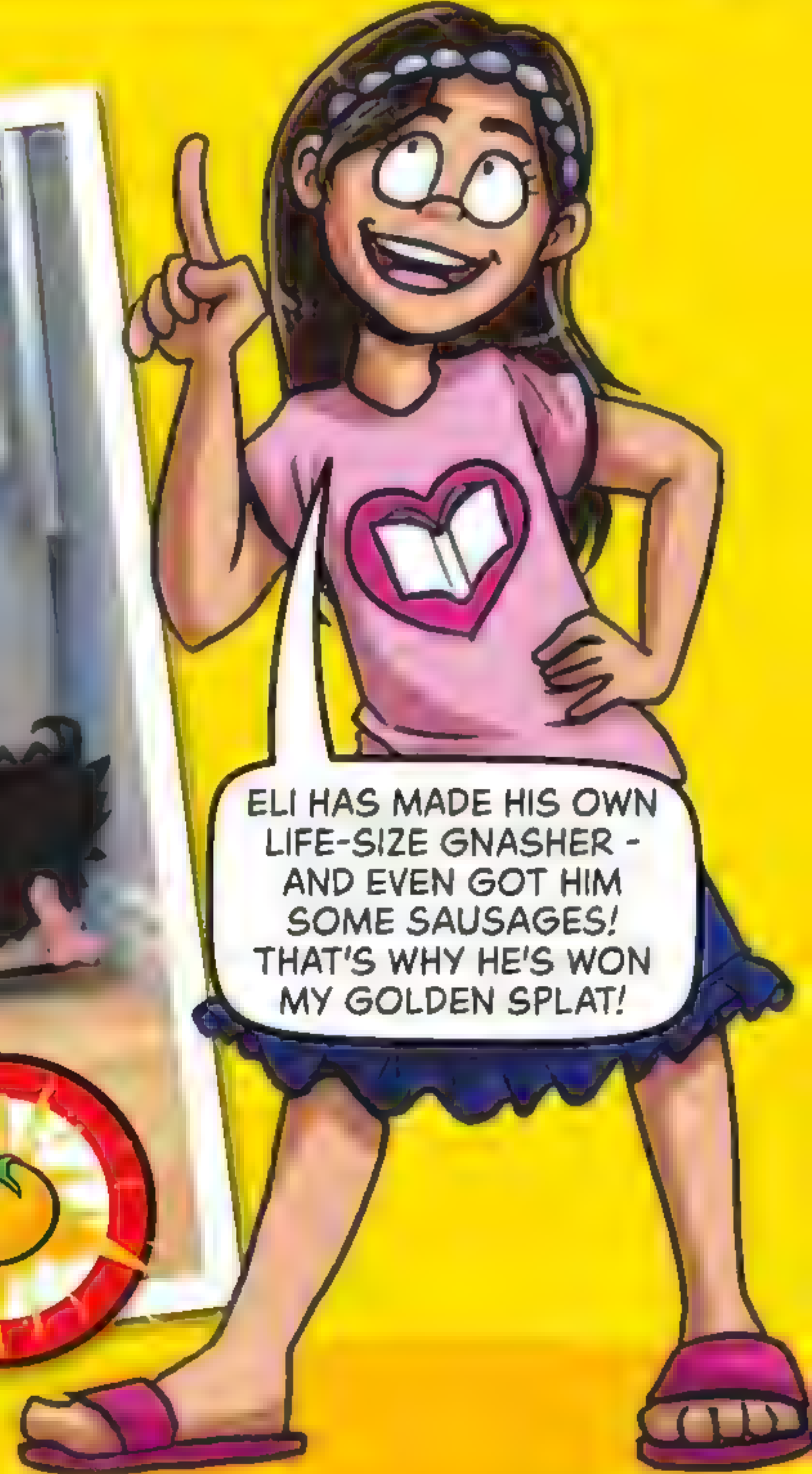


ALL THESE READERS' PICTURES SCORE WITH ME! KEEP SENDING THEM IN FOR THE CHANCE TO APPEAR AND WIN A PRIZE!

ELI FROM HEREFORD



ELI HAS MADE HIS OWN LIFE-SIZE GNASHER - AND EVEN GOT HIM SOME SAUSAGES! THAT'S WHY HE'S WON MY GOLDEN SPLAT!



A MENACE'S BEST FRIEND!



ARRAN FROM STAFFORDSHIRE

Arran loves to share Beano with his guinea pig!



CERYS FROM MANCHESTER



Cerys has made herself a Beano plate!

Who's your menacing best mate?

No menace is complete without their best animal buddy! Do you have a pet you love to read Beano with? Take a picture and send it in with your name and home town to animalbuddy@beano.com

ALEXA FROM LONDON



I'M PARKING MYSELF DOWN HERE TO READ BEANO!

Alexa loves to take her Beano to the park!

IZZIE FROM MARLOW



I'M NEVER BOARD WITH BEANO!

Izzie has been paddleboarding with her Beano!

LEWIS FROM EDINBURGH



I'M READING BEANO WITH MINNIE!

Lewis visited the Minnie the Minx statue in Dundee!

JOE FROM LEICESTERSHIRE



A COLLECTION OF BEANOS SHOULD BE CALLED 'A GIGGLE'!

JOE HAS A REALLY BIG COLLECTION OF BEANOS... OR IS THAT A GIGGLE OF BEANOS?!



DO YOU HAVE WHAT IT TAKES TO...

BE MORE BEANO?

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Every picture on this page has won a copy of the next Beano boomie (BOOK + comic = BOOMIE), **Attack of the Evil Veg!** A horde of giant, carnivorous vegetables is taking over Beanotown! Can Dennis and his friends root them out and save the day?!

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The editor will choose the letters which make him laugh the most! Please see page 35 for important details.

NUMSKULLS



The Little guys that Live in your head! Everybody has them!

THERE'S A LOT GOING ON IN EDD'S HEAD...

EDD IS IN MATHS...

IN EDD'S HEAD...

WHAT DO YOU CALL AN ANGLE GREATER THAN 90 DEGREES?

GET IN! I LOVE JOKES! WHAT DO YOU CALL AN ANGLE THAT'S GREATER THAN 90 DEGREES?

ER... DON'T TELL ME!

YOU GOT ME! WHAT DO YOU CALL AN ANGLE GREATER THAN 90 DEGREES?

AN OBTUSE ANGLE.

I DON'T GET IT.

IT'S NOT A JOKE!

YOU DON'T HAVE TO TELL ME, MATE! WORST COMEDIAN EVER!

HE'S NOT A COMEDIAN! HE'S A TEACHER! WE'RE IN MATHS!

SO, WHAT IS HE TELLING JOKES FOR?

HE'S NOT!

I KNOW! THE PUNCHLINE DIDN'T MAKE SENSE!

WHAT DOES OBTUSE EVEN MEAN?!

IT MEANS AN ANGLE THAT IS MORE THAN 90 DEGREES!

IT ALSO MEANS SLOW TO UNDERSTAND. - ED

STILL NOT FUNNY! HE NEEDS SACKING! HOW MUCH DID WE PAY TO GET IN HERE?

IT'S SCHOOL! WE PAID NOTHING!

YOU GET WHAT YOU PAY FOR, I GUESS.

WHAT DO YOU CALL AN ANGLE LESS THAN 90 DEGREES?

IF THIS ISN'T HILARIOUS, I'M GONNA KICK OFF!

AN ACUTE ANGLE.

BOO! GET OFF! NEXT!

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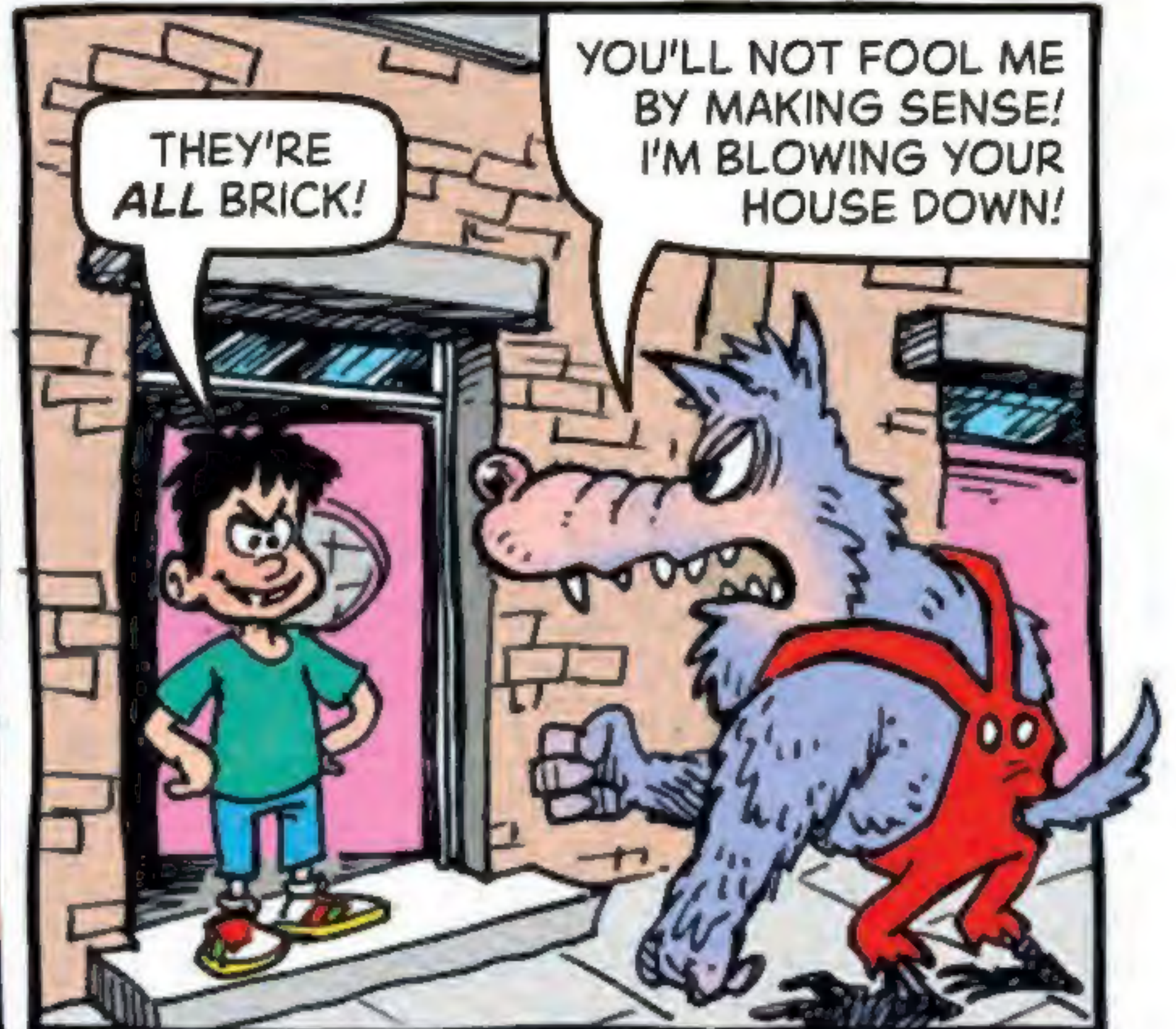


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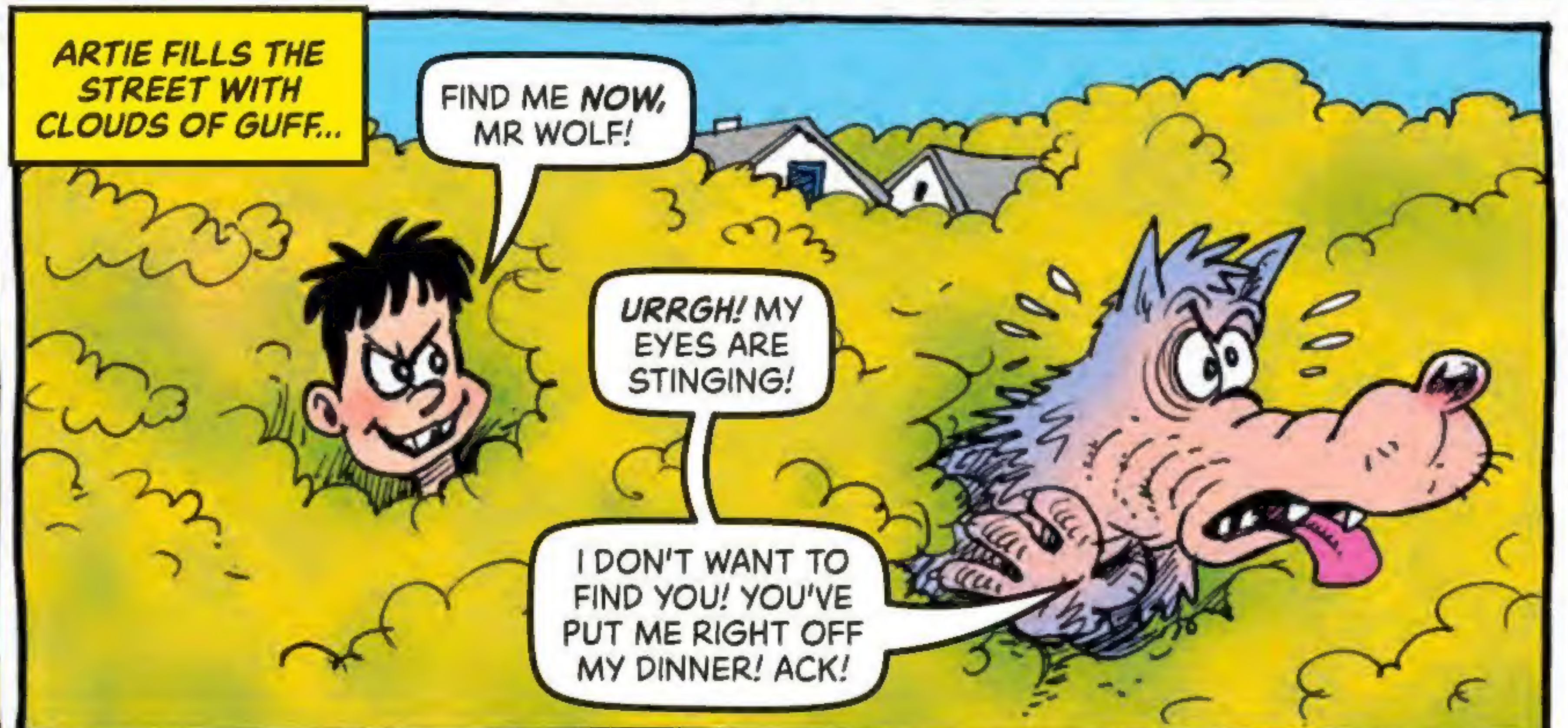
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FARTIE ARTIE
LETS ONE RIP...**



ARTIE BLOWS OFF AGAIN...



**ARTIE FILLS THE
STREET WITH
CLOUDS OF GUFF...**



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